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HUGE CONFLAGRATION SWEEPS PAMPANGA PROVINCE SUBURBS

DISGRUNTLED FARMERS RESENT POLICE PATROLS

Incendiarism Feared: Cathedral Burned

MANILA, FEB. 9 (REUTER)—HALF A MILLION PESOS DAMAGE HAS BEEN CAUSED SINCE EIGHT O'CLOCK THIS MORNING WHEN FLAMES LICKED up a large area in the suburbs of San Fernando, capital of Pampanga province, a rich sugar district where several thousand sugar-mill workers and farmers are idle.

The fire broke out in the market place and quickly spread to the sun-dried buildings, and was still raging at 11.30 a.m.

It is feared that the damage is heavier. Casualties are at present unknown.

The possibility of incendiarism is by no means discarded owing to the disgruntledness of the farmers who resent constabulary patrols breaking up gatherings.

The tension heightened last night when reinforcements were despatched to the affected area.

The farmers are apparently dissatisfied with the enforced terms of the strike settlement though the mill workers have agreed to return to their jobs.

The situation was ugly enough to make President Manuel Quezon decide to visit the area shortly and appeal to the strikers directly.

The fire raged unchecked at 12.30 p.m.

The provincial governor estimates the damage at half a million pesos. There are no casualties but three thousand are homeless.

The San Fernando Catholic Cathedral is among the buildings consumed by the flames and also ancient Filipino landmarks and large Chinese bakeries and hardware stores.

Trains both ways are crammed with refugees, rescue workers and newspaper men.

ADVERTISEMENT COMPETITION

The "Hongkong Daily Press" has introduced a new competition in which our readers will no doubt take a keen interest. A series of five different questions will be published for three days in succession beginning yesterday and the senders of the first ten correct replies received at the "Hongkong Daily Press," 519 Marina House, to-morrow morning will each be given a pair of tickets to see "Three Loves Has Nancy," to be shown at the King's Theatre. The fifteen replies should be sent in together and not separately. Answers will be published in due course together with the names of the winners. Our decision is final.

DEATH OF MR. A. M. G. GRANT

"C.O.M." Of China Journalism

SHANGHAI, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—The death has occurred here, at the age 58, of Mr. A. M. G. Grant formerly connected with the "Central China Post" and well-known in Central China. He is survived by his wife and step-daughter both of whom are in Kuling where they have been unable to leave owing to the military situation.

Mr. Grant was a native of Woolwich, England, and was known as the "grand old man" of China journalism.

ROYAL VISIT TO BELGUIM

THE HAGUE, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—It is announced that the projected visit of Queen Wilhelmina to the King of the Belgians will take place at the end of May.

MONGOLIAN PRINCE IN CHUNGKING

CHUNGKING, Feb. 9 (Central)—The Mongols in Suiyuan are unanimous in their support of the National Government in the present war of resistance, declared Prince Sha, Chairman of the Suiyuan Mongolian Political Council, who arrived here from Shensi by plane yesterday.

The Mongolian prince was accompanied by his wife and son and was greeted at the aerodrome by representatives of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and Dr. H. H. Kung, President of the Executive Yuan, Mr. Wu Chung-hsin, Chairman of the Mongolian and Tibetan Affairs Commission, and General Ho Yao-tsu, former Minister to Turkey.

Interviewed, Prince Sha said that he came to Chungking to assume the post of state councillor and to submit a report on the Mongolian political affairs in Suiyuan to the Central authorities.

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London Silver Market
(Our Own Correspondent)

London, Feb. 9.

London silver prices to-day were up 1/8 as follows:—

	Feb. 8	Feb. 9
Spot	20-1/8	20-1/4
Forward	19 3/4	19-7/8

CHIANG'S APPEAL FOR UNIFORMS

CHUNGKING, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek is making another personal appeal to the nation for contributions towards funds for making winter uniforms for the Chinese soldiers at the front in view of the present cold weather. It is estimated that one million uniforms have already been made as a result of public contributions.

JAPAN'S OFFER TO CHINA

"It's beyond me why the Chinese people didn't accept it. It certainly has a finished look."

—Moscow News

JAPAN AND BELLIGERENT OPERATIONS

SHANNGHAI, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—Questioned further with regard to yesterday's sweeping statement, a Japanese naval spokesman at to-day's press conference declared that while "as a matter of reality belligerent operations are proceeding against China" nevertheless the Japanese had not exercised full belligerent rights as regards stopping ships at sea.

The spokesman added, "It has been our practice to carry out detentions within the territorial waters of China."

A correspondent asked: "Does the spokesman's statement yesterday mean that any rule of international law which in the Japanese view hinders Japnaese operations to bring about the downfall of the Chiang Kai-shek regime is liable to be disregarded?"

The spokesman replied: "We don't believe the Japanese Government has any such ideas."

The correspondent: "What about the Japanese Navy's views?"

The spokesman: "Unfortunately, that is the trouble."

NO PERMANENT NAVAL BASE IN SOUTH CHINA

TOKYO, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—The question whether the Japanese admiralty planned establishing of a permanent naval base in South China or elsewhere on the Chinese continent was answered in the negative by the Japanese Naval Minister Yonai during the session of the Lower House committee on Wednesday.

The Japanese Naval Minister refused to answer the further question whether "Japanese forces would carry through the immediate occupation of Hainan Island."

Man Robbed Of $280 In Kowloon

According to a police report, Yau Wing, aged 24, was the victim of a highway robbery perpetrated in the Yaumati district last night about 11.45 o'clock.

Three m are reported to have help up Au Wing in Parkes Street and told him that they wanted to search him.

One of the men pointed a revolver at Yau while the other two searched him and took from his trousers pocket a leather wallet containing $280 being sums of money which he had collected from various shops in Shamshuipo district in payment of accounts.

Yau Wing, who is the master of the Yiu Kwong Mirror firm, was returning to his residence at 156, Woosung Street, third floor at the time of the incident.

Police, however, consider the report doubtful.

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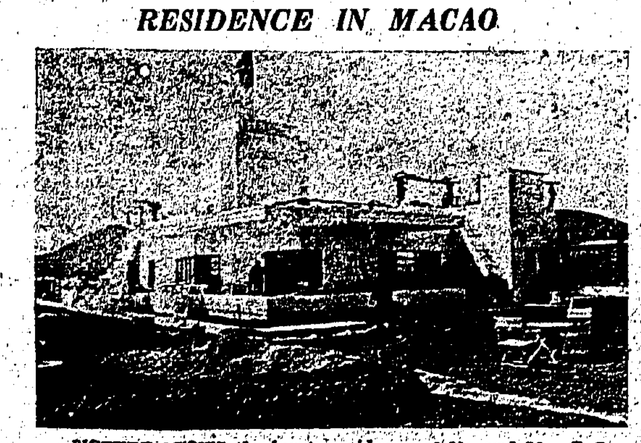
RESIDENCE IN MACAO



PICTURE SHOWS the lovely residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Gellion in Macao. (Photo by Leica).

Z.B.W. PROGRAMMES SUITED TO POPULAR TASTE: Y.M.C.A. DEBATE VERDICT

Mr. Starbuck's Contention: Chinese Lessons' Plea

"Z.B.W. PROGRAMMES ARE SUITED TO THE POPULAR TASTE." SUCH WAS THE DECISION LAST NIGHT OF A REPRESENTATIVE CROSS-section of the Hongkong public, 40 in number, who attended the debate at the European Y.M.C.A., the motion at this debate being that "Z.B.W. programmes are not suited, etc." The debate was broadcast over Z.B.W. and the audience must have numbered several times 40 of the public. Of the 30 voters, 13 only voted for the motion, 17 against it.

Principal speakers for the motion were Mr. A. C. Jeffreys and the Rev. H. D. Rosenthall, the opposition being led by Mr. E. O'Neill Shaw with Mr. L. Starbuck in support.

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In the course of the debate, much old ground was re-trod. In summing-up, Mr. Starbuck spoke of a survey of past utterances on the subject of Z.B.W. programmes by the press of the Colony, contending that every argument ever put forth was an argument that had also been opposed. Mr. Starbuck contended that a radio programme cannot please all people all the time. Mr. Starbuck would therefore say for Z.B.W. that it managed to please some of the public all the time, and all of the public some of the time.

LOT OF CRITICISM

The opposition, who proved the more popular with the public, presented a full quota of reason in support of their case, admitting that the Z.B.W. programme did

(Continued on Page 9)

FUTURE OF SINO-JAPANESE WAR

"The future of the Sino-Japanese War: can Japan win in China?" was the subject of an interesting address given by D. S. Lautenschlager, acting Dean and head of the Department of Social Sciences, Lingnan University, before the weekly meeting of the Hongkong Y's Men's Club at the St. Francis Hotel yesterday.

On Page 8 will be found the first part of the address and the concluding portion will be published to-morrow.

In the course of his address yesterday, Dr. Lautenschlager dealt with growing world opinion against Japan; the increasing economic strain in Japan itself; and the stiffening of Chinese resistance in "occupied" as well as in "unoccupied" territory.

SURRENDER OF MINORCA DISCUSSED

LONDON, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—A representative of General Franco arrived in Minorca aboard H.M.S. Devonshire to discuss surrender of the island by the Republicans to the Nationalists.

The island, which is strongly fortified, has been held by the Republicans since the beginning of the war.

Inhabitants of the island fear an imminent attack by Gen. Franco whose planes recently dropped pamphlets declaring that the island will be bombed from the air.

The Devonshire is leaving Minorca with 450 refugees whose destination is unknown.

NO REPRISAL

The French representative, M. Berard, returned from a visit to Burgos and is understood to have brought back a number of assurances from Gen. Franco including an offer to take back Republican refugees without reprisal, amnesty of soldiers, except those offenders against the common law, and the safekeeping of art treasures of the Spanish people.

The French press advocates recognition of the Franco Government by the despatch of an Ambassador to Burgos.

BRITISH SHIP SINKING IN MID-ATLANTIC

LONDON, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—Several liners are rushing to the assistance of the British vessel Maria de Larrinaga which is sinking in mid-Atlantic. The Marine Radio Corporation of America is attempting to contact the sinking vessel but nothing has been heard from her since noon.

One of the rescue vessels had to heave to owing to heavy seas.

COLLISION IN FOG

LONDON, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—The German steamer, Glueckauf, (1,915 tons) sank during dense fog and heavy sea at Humber Mouth to-day following a collision with an unidentified vessel. The crew was saved by a nearby French steamer Rhea. The collision occurred in the immediate vicinity of the spot where the Greek steamer Katina Bulgari sank on Wednesday after a collision with the American steamer Meanticut.

It is, therefore, believed that the German steamer might have rammed the wreck of the sunken Greek vessel.

NEW BISHOP OF INNSBRUCK

VIENNA, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—Monsignor Paul Rusch, whose nomination as Bishop of Innsbruck has been approved by the Pope, is not only the first occupant of the newly created See but also the youngest member of the Catholic Episcopate in the German Reich being only 33 years of age.

MARKED FOR DEATH

Mr. Amleto Vespa, the Italian author who has been marked for death by the terrorists in Shanghai, was formerly adviser to Marshal Chang Tso-lin, the Manchurian warlord. After the Japanese occupied Mukden he was forced to become a secret agent of Japan. He wrote a book entitled "Secret Agent of Japan." The above picture was taken in 1927.

35,000 TON GERMAN BATTLESHIP

HAMBURG, Feb. 9. (T/Ocean)—The first German 35,000 ton battleship, provisionally known as "F," will be launched at Hamburg on February 14. So far the largest German naval units were the recently commissioned battleships "Gneisenau" and "Scharnhorst," with 26,000 tons displacement.

The launching of the battleship "F" will shortly be followed by that of the sistership provisionally known as "G" at Wilhelmshaven.

CATALONIA EVACUATED BY LOYALISTS

Insurgents Pressing On By Forced Marches

PARIS, February 8 (Reuter)—The evacuation of Catalonia by Loyalist troops accelerated this morning.

Troops are now crossing the frontier at Bourgmadame in complete detachments, with officers, instead of in small groups as hitherto.

It is estimated that 8,000 who have reached Bourgmandame have been disarmed since 4 p.m. yesterday.

FRONTIER FORCES STRENGTHENED

PERPIGNAN, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—Insurgent troops are making forced marches towards Puigcerda, and they are expected to reach there to-night.

Loyalists are evacuating most of the districts.

French frontier forces have been strengthened to meet the renewed flow of refugees.

The Insurgents have been pushing towards Figueras in the face of stubborn Loyalist resistance.

FRENCH SENATOR RETURNS

PARIS, Feb. 8 (T/Ocean)—Sen. Leon Berard, on his return here from Burgos to-day, was received early in the afternoon by the Foreign Minister, M. Bonnet, to whom he reported on the result of his conversations with the Insurgent Foreign Minister, Count Jordana.

U.S. GUNBOAT'S CAREER ENDED

SHANGHAI, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—The U.S.S. Monocacy, the Yangtze River gunboat, is ending her long career to-day.

She is being towed towards the Saddle Islands, where she will be sunk.

Oahu Arrives in Kiukiang

The U.S.S. Oahu arrived in Kiukiang this morning from Hankow and tied up alongside H.M.S. Ladybird.

The Oahu has on board the British and American Vice-Consuls in Hankow, who are visiting Kiukiang in connexion with the Japanese demand for evacuation by foreigners of Kuling, the mountain resort, where Chinese guerilla forces are still holding out.

RIFLE SHOOTING

GOOD SCORES RECORDED AT WEEKLY MEET

Possible By Condr. Hill At Five Hundred Yards

IN SPITE OF THE DEPARTURE of the 4th Submarine Flotilla to a warmer climate than that experienced on the Range on Wednesday, and the Royal Scots to camp, a large number turned up for the weekly Spoon Shoot.

Conditions were not conducive to good shooting, a cold fresh wind blowing across the Range and a dull light, but good scores were recorded especially by C/Sgt. Hale who returned a 99 to win the Nett S.R. (b) Spoon.

The dull light and the wind, however, caused trouble to a good number of less experienced members at 600 yards.

A possible was recorded during the afternoon by Comdr. Hill at 500 yards.

The Handicap Spoons for S.R. (b) were won by Mr. Anning of the Dockyard Rifle Club and Sgt. Tomlinson of the R.A.S.C.

L/Cpl. Langford of the Middlesex won the S.R. (a) Nett Spoon with the very creditable score of 82 considering the conditions and this Club collected all the Handicap Spoons which were won by Pte. Gromm, Dry and Harvey.

The R.A.F. Club had several members out and if they continue to improve as they do, will shortly be winning spoons.

The following are the leading scores of the Mid-Week Shoot at the Kowloon Ranges:—

S.R. (B)

	H'cap	200 yds.	500 yds.	600 yds.	Total
C Sgt. P. Hale	Scr.	33	34	32	99*
P.O. J. C. Swan	"	33	34	29	96
Comdr. J. R. Hill	2	30	35	29	94‡
Mne. P. G. Heather	Scr.	31	31	30	92
Mr. F. G. Drake	3	34	31	26	91
C.S.M. F. G. Maslen	Nil.	28	31	31	90
L/Sgt. K. C. Hoo	4	31	31	28	90
P Sgt. L. C. Pennell	3	30	31	28	89
Sgt. M. F. Rushman	4	31	31	27	89
B/M. W. Kilford	Nil.	31	30	27	88
S/Sgt. R. A. Neale	5	31	30	27	88
S.I. C. C. Chau	Scr.	29	33	26	88
Mr. L. A. Anning	8	30	29	28	87†
P/Sgt. P. H. Thong	3	28	32	27	87
Sgt. K. C. Wong	5	30	30	27	87
Major G. P. Murray	6	31	31	25	87
Insp. D. Lole	3	29	27	30	86
Capt. R. T. Guscott	3	27	33	26	86
L/Sgt. W. Nunn	4	31	30	25	86
S Sgt. N. Dumvile	2	32	30	24	86
Capt. F. Sale	8	30	29	26	85
2/Lt. G. C. Dawson	4	30	27	26	83
Sgt. G. C. Tomlinson	12	25	28	26	78†
S.S.M. W. Street	5	23	29	25	77
Sgt. A. Billingham	4	25	23	26	74
S/Sgt. P. Banister	10	26	21	23	70

S.R. (A)

L/Cpl. R. Langford	3	25	28	29	82*
Spr. W. Albone	6	24	30	25	79
P.O. D. J. Silcock	4	25	27	26	78
Cpl. F. Cole	6	30	26	20	78
Cpl. F. E. C. C. Quah	4	23	29	25	77
L. Tel. A.G. J. Montague	8	26	26	22	74
Pte. H. Dry	13	24	26	23	73†
Pte. L. J. Gromm	10	26	26	20	72†
Spr. G. S. Rumors	Nil.	17	27	25	69
Pte. C. W. Tully	9	30	22	16	69
Pte. T. Harvey	11	23	23	21	67†
L.A.C. J. P. Berry	13	27	27	13	67
A.C.2 R. K. Jeffrey	Nil.	21	24	21	66
Cpl. W. A. Rix	14	23	23	16	62
L.A.C. T. H. Storey	14	21	24	16	61
L/Cpl. C. J. Thorley	12	22	18	20	60
Pte. Y. M. Chong	13	21	23	13	57
Spr. P. Canning	14	21	29	7	57
A.C.1 W. J. Gash	14	24	19	13	56
Pte. A. S. Hoe	Nil.	17	15	22	54
Pte. F. K. Chong	"	17	16	21	54
Pte. J. Williams	10	20	18	16	54
L.A.C. K. Muston	14	20	20	13	53
Sgt. C. Wong	12	26	23	4	53

*—Denotes winner of the "Nett" Spoon.
‡—Denotes winner of the "Possible" Button.
†—Denotes winner of the "Handicap" Spoon.

N.B.—Winner of "*" or "‡" Spoon has his handicap reduced by one point.

RUGBY AT HOME

H.K. Bank Draw With Provincial

GOOD TACKLING

National Provincial Bank took the field against Hongkong and Shanghai Bank at Lower Sydenham without D. A. Innes and H. S. Hurley, and did well to draw, scoring a try (three points) in reply to a penalty goal (three points).

They held the upper hand throughout in the set scrummages, but Hongkong were more than a match for them in the loose, with the result that at half-time the score-sheet was blank.

Shortly after change of ends Hongkong went into the lead with a well-judged penalty goal by W. G. Harris, but for the remainder of the game the National Provincial Bank attacked continuously, but against close-marking and good tackling by the opposition they were only able to score once, when, from a quick heel inside the "25," J. A. Bowen went over for a try in the corner.

CHARTERED BANK v. BARCLAYS

Barclays Bank proved much stronger than the Chartered Bank of India in the scrummages and of this they made the most, to win by a penalty goal and three tries (12 points) to nothing at Northfields.

Chartered Bank made a number of spirited attacks, most of them from loose rushes, and were perhaps unlucky not to score.

The winners scored twice in each half, a penalty goal by W. D. Mostyn Lewis followed by a try by F. K. N. Gillett, who went over from a five-yard scrummage, giving them a six-point lead at half time.

The best try of the match came early in the second half when A. F. Longhurst cut through and his cross-kick was well fielded by T. L. Rowan, who gave D. F. Lewis a pass for a try between the posts, but the kick, like both the others, went wide.

The final score fell to F. B. Coulson, who broke away on the wing, kicked ahead, and regained possession for a try.

THREE GAMES FOR MANILA TEAM

The Hongkong Football Association announces the dates, time, and venue of the football matches arranged for the visiting Manila team.

Three matches in all will be played on the Navy Ground, Causeway Bay, kick-off at 3.30 p.m.

The Interport game, Hongkong v. Manila, will be played on Sunday, February 19. The Combined Chinese will oppose the Manila team on February 20, and Manila will engage the Rest of the Colony on February 22.

SCHOOL CRICKET

Queen's College beat the Ellis Kadoorie Indian School by the narrow margin of five runs in a cricket match played between the two schools on Wednesday.

T. C. Lo (22) and N. Singh (37 not out) were the highest scores for Q.C., for whom T. C. Lo took seven wickets for 20 runs.

Sporting Fixtures

TO-DAY

BADMINTON. — Y.M.C.A. Badminton, in the West Lounge, 8.30 p.m.

HOCKEY.—Club A. v. Navy (King's Park 5 p.m.

TO-MORROW

CRICKET.—First division, Kowloon v. Civil Service, Indians v. Army, Navy v. Craigengower. Second division, Civil Service v. Kowloon, Army v. Indians, Craigengower v. Navy, Police v. University, Club v. Recreio.

FOOTBALL.—Senior shield replay Kowloon v. South China A (Sookunpoo), 4 p.m.; First division, Scots v. Club (Caroline Hill), 4.15 p.m.; Junior shield Semi-final, Engineers v. Middlesex (Kowloon), 3.41 p.m. Second division, 5th R.A. v. St. Joseph's (St. Joseph's), 4.15 p.m.; Kowloon v. Kwong Wah (Kowloon), 2.30 p.m. Third division (A), R.A.S.C. v. Kit Che (Military), 4.15 p.m.; Stanley v. Electric (Military), 2.45 p.m.; 30th R.A. v. 5th R.A. (St. Joseph's), 2.45 p.m. Third division championship play-off, Scots v. R.A.F. (Sookunpoo), 2.30 p.m. Charity match, Navy v. Marines (Causeway Bay), 4.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Bogey pool, new course, Fanling.

HOCKEY.—Brawn Cup, C.B.A. v. C.B.S. (C.B.S.), 3 p.m.; Y.M.C.A. v. Club (Happy Valley), 3 p.m.; Recreio A v. St. Andrew's A (St. Andrew's), 3 p.m.; Recreio B v. D.G.S. (Recreio), 3 p.m.

RUGBY.—Hongkong v. Malaya (Happy Valley), 4 p.m.

TENNIS.—Shanghai Universities v. Chinese Recreation Club (Causeway Bay), 2.30 p.m.

YACHTING.—First championship series, racing yachts.

SUNDAY, FEB. 12

FOOTBALL.—Senior shield semi-final, St. Joseph's v. Police (Causeway Bay), 3.30 p.m. Junior shield semi-final, P.W.D. v. Scots (Hongkong F.C.), 3.30 p.m.

GOLF.—Bogey pool, new course, Fanling.

RACING.—Grand National meeting (Kwantl), 2.30 p.m.

SOFTBALL.—Men, Canadians v. Recreio; Baseballers v. Machine Gunners, Midgets v. C.B.A. Women, C.B.A. v. Panthers; Cardinals v. Cubs; Wildcats v. Filipinos.

TENNIS.—Shanghai Universities v. Indians (Sookunpoo), 2.30 p.m.

YACHTING.—Sixth championship series, cruisers.

MONDAY, FEB. 13

YACHTING. — Fourth Women's, second series.

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HONG KONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

INTERPORT MATCHES

Hong Kong v Manila
Sunday, February 19.
Reserved seats $2.00 and $1.00.

Combined Chinese v Manila
Monday, February 20.
Reserved seats $1.50 and 80 cents.

Rest of Colony
Wednesday, February 22.
Prices same as second game.

All games played at Causeway Bay, Kick-off at **3.30 p.m.**

Booking now open to the Public at Messrs. Moutrie and Co. Ltd. and Messrs. China Sports Co.

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THIS WEEK'S WINNERS IN HOME FOOTBALL

"Telescore" Selects Them For "Daily Press" Readers

The following are the Home football fixtures for the week-end with the probable winners given in capital type.

Each Friday "Telescore" picks the winners for Hongkong followers of this great winter game, the forecast for to-morrow being as follows:—

DIVISION I

CHARLTON	v.	Manchester. Un.
DERBY COUNTY	v.	Brentford.
LEEDS UN.	v.	Middlesbrough.

DIVISION II

BRADFORD	v.	Bury.
BURNLEY	v.	Plymouth.
CHESTERFIELD	v.	Tranmere
Coventry	v.	West Bromwich
Millwall	v.	FULHAM.
SOUTHAMPTON	v.	Norwich.
TOTTENHAM	v.	Luton

DIVISION III (SOUTHERN SECTION)

ALDERSHOT	v.	Notts County.
BRISTOL CITY	v.	Northampton.
CARDIFF	v.	Bournemouth.
CRYSTAL PALACE	v.	Newport.
Ipswich	v.	BRIGHTON.
Port Vale	v.	Torquay.
QUEEN'S P.R.	v.	Swindon.
READING	v.	Bristol Rovers.
SOUTHEND	v.	Mansfield.
WATFORD	v.	Clapton Orient.

DIVISION III (NORTHERN SECTION)

Accrington	v.	LINCOLN.
BARNSLEY	v.	Hull City.
CARLISLE	v.	Rotherham.
Crewe Alex.	v.	Doncaster Rov.
DARLINGTON	v.	Rochdale.
GATESHEAD	v.	Wrexham.
Halifax	v.	Chester.
HARTLEPOOLS	v.	York City.
NEW BRIGHTON	v.	Barrow.
OLDHAM	v.	Bradford City.
STOCKPORT	v.	Southport.

SCOTTISH LEAGUE DIVISION I.

Arbroath	v.	KILMARNOCK.
AYR UNITED	v.	Hamilton.
CELTIC	v.	Clyde.
Falkirk	v.	QUEEN OF SOUTH.
HIBERNIAN	v.	Albion Rov.
Motherwell	v.	Hears.
PARTICK	v.	Queen's Park.
St. Johnstone	v.	Raith Rov.
ST. MIRREN	v.	RANGERS.
Third Lanark	v.	RANGERS.

"TELESCORE" FORECAST

5TH ROUND CUP TIE

Newcastle	v.	PRESTON N.E.
PORTSMOUTH	v.	West Ham.
WOLVES	v.	Liverpool.
SUNDERLAND	v.	Blackburn.
Chelsea	v.	WEDNESDAY.
HUDDERSFIELD	v.	Walsall.
Sheffield U.	v.	Grimsby.
Birmingham	v.	EVERTON.

(League tables on Page 16).

SERVICES SOCCER FOR CHARITY

To-morrow's Game At Causeway Bay

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CONFIDE IN FAITH PRIOR

PARTY GIVER WISHES TO have a large party for friends who have entertained her mother during a visit in the Colony in the past month. She also wishes to invite several guests who have not made the acquaintance of her parent and would like to know if both her name and that of her mother should be on the engraved invitations?

IT IS ENTIRELY proper to send out invitations with both names on the invitations to all the invited guests. It is never necessary, when the names of two hostesses appear on a card that all those invited be friends of both. On the other hand, you may send the invitations in your name alone if that would be simpler.

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TEMPORARY BACHELOR'S wife has been visiting her family in the north during the past month. He has been invited to several dinners and parties since her absence. He asks if it would be correct to reciprocate with a party for these people before his wife returns or wait until that time?

NATURALLY YOU SHOULD give a party for these various friends who have entertained you in your wife's absence. However, it would be much better and nicer if you wait until your wife's arrival. Then both of you can thank them in person for their courtesies. Why not make the reciprocation party a welcome-home celebration for your wife as well?

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HARD-UP FINDS her finances in poor condition, due to bad investments, loans, and illness. She has a few pieces of valuable jewellery and wishes to raise money on same. Should she sell them or would it be better to pawn them?

PRACTICALLY EVERYONE has been in difficult financial straits one time or another. If you sell this jewellery you will not be able to buy it back at the sale price. Also, you never can secure the true value of the jewels if sold second hand unless you sell it through an agent, then he must have a commission. It would be better to pawn your jewels, and when better times arrive there is the possibility of redeeming the jewellery. When you keep up the insurance on pawned merchandise they cannot sell the articles without your permission.

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DOG LOVER BELIEVES that children should learn to care and play with animals. She has a young daughter of 6 and a boy of 4½ years and wishes to purchase a dog for these children to act as a companion. However, she is in doubt as to what type of breed would be best.

IT IS A VERY GOOD IDEA for children to be raised with dogs who usually are faithful companions and comforting friends. First of all in what type of home do you and the children live, have you a large garden or lawn, is your home large or small?

In confined quarters a small dog would be more suitable, such as a toy bull dog, spaniel, however, if you have plenty of space a setter, wire haired terrier, beagle, or a police dog would be desirable.

Explain the dog, its habits and instincts to the children and help them understand that a dog is sensitive and has its own intelligence, in this way they will appreciate and be interested in their new friend.

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LONESOME has been in the Colony six months. He wonders if there is any girl who is interested in books, good food, good shows, antiques, rare curios and likes to go to church? The few women he has met drink too much, stay out too late at night and are extremely inconsiderate and self-centred.

THERE ARE MANY SUCH women you describe, however, you will not find them every night in hotels, or at many cocktail parties or late evening affairs. Do you ever stop to think that one woman leads to another, therefore, you cannot afford to neglect or be rude or indifferent to any woman.

If you do, you cut yourself from the opportunity of meeting others. When you are introduced to various women, you may not care for them, but at least exert yourself, then you will be invited to parties and meet their friends. Frequently you find many women met in this manner congenial and interested in the parts of life you are.

Otherwise, join a good club or attend various charity affairs where you meet many people who can introduce you to others.

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DEAR FAITH PRIOR: I have met again the man I have been in love with for some time, after an absence of several years. He is working and living in the north and will soon be sailing to Europe for another two years of study. He asks that I trust and be true to him. I intend to grant his wishes, but how can I tell him and assure him that he has my complete love and confidence? **GRATEFUL.**

DEAR GRATEFUL: You state in your letter that this man will shortly sail for Europe, then undoubtedly he will call at Hongkong en route. At that time you can inform him of your desire to be true to him; however, be very sure that the end between you two points to marriage, otherwise do not commit yourself. If this man cannot marry you for two more years, he has no right to expect you to cloister yourself from the social world.

You must go out socially, all work and no play is not good for man or woman, and in so doing you certainly could not be belittling his faith in you under the circumstances. Conduct yourself as a lady at all times but by no means give up everything for this man, in the long run he will not appreciate your effort.

(Each week in this column FAITH PRIOR answers questions of a personal nature submitted by readers of the "Daily Press.")

Fashion PRE-VIEW

Round The Shops

Flicking the pages of the latest fashion periodicals you spot new hats, evening gowns, play togs, all the necessary apparel for a spring and summer wardrobe.

This is all advance fashion news which gives you some sort of an idea as to the antics fashion dictators are up to this coming season. However, do not consider all of the present news "Law." Many changes will no doubt be made before the general public goes raving mad and takes for it's own many of the designs presented.

A small selection of advanced fashion apparel has arrived in Hongkong and every woman would be wise to have a look at some of this merchandise. Too, those to be journeyers will find costumes in our shops very suitable for the next couple of months matters not what longitude or latitude is their destination.

Tailored Perfection

Be you tall or small, plain or exotic, a well tailored two piece suit is flattering to the figure. No woman, either the housewife or gal with a career, should be minus such an outfit in each season's wardrobe. **Lane Crawford** has a satisfying selection of such suits in flannel and light weight worsteds. The coats are well cut and nicely lined. The skirts vary in style of kick-pleats and box pleats or side slits. Grey appears to be their outstanding colour, to date. And when this suit is worn with a colourful tailored or dressmaker blouse and a wild coloured hat with the correct bag and gloves, nothing along the avenue could be smarter. Various changes of blouse and hat with this type suit produces new and effective costumes.

There are a few dressier two piece suits in this shop which can be worn during the morning and into informal afternoon occasions. They are well tailored, the collar, and self-trim with the general cut of the garment removes them from the strictly tailored fashion.

Spring Straws

Due to distance the fashion centers' latest thrills are several weeks old when they arrive in Hongkong, but Mayos in the Arcade have taken this fact into consideration and are making up for time by designing their own spring creations. Studying the advanced fashions in millinery they have put their fingers to straws and present the public with models now being shown abroad.

Natural and coloured straws are made into chapeaux, which are copied from the smartest millinery houses. Rough straw seems to hold first place in early spring models. While sailors, pill-boxes and medium brimmed creations are outstanding in designs.

If you want an exclusive and first in spring hats go into this shop and see what they can do for you with a bit of straw, needle and thread!

Colours Are Fashion

Little over a year ago fashions called for a perfect blending in colour. From the top of your head to your toes every piece of apparel blended, but gone are those days. Now, fashion says "contrast" vivid colours are made brighter by a bolder contrast, or a sombre deep costume is flung on the colour scene with a wild deep shade to back it up. And this is particularly noticeable in woolens which carry shades better than silks or cottons.

Riveile in the Arcade explains this feature of present fashions

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SOPHISTICATION AT THE RACES

The horses will be running out at Happy Valley very shortly. When you sally forth to invest your all in a paste-board ticket and stand with many hundreds in the grandstand to see your horse lose your all, your costume should be a highlight of what spring offers in apparel for these occasions.

Your "Signs of Spring" would include a lilac coloured rabbit's hair (wool) dress with a double box pleated skirt, all around, a four inch belt of the same material with a bodice buttoning up the front to a collarless neckline. This one piece dress should have its own matching bolero jacket. The soft light weight texture of the material makes it suitable for such occasions and also very flattering to variety of figures.

The hat of purple felt has a wide straight brim and a high crown sloping in front and trimmed with suede. The suede bag medium size, and the gloves of the same material are eight button gauntlets corresponding in colour to hat and bag.

Shoes in dress ties with open toes, or pumps with the same toe treatment are designed from alligator or a combination of suede and reptile in a deep current shade.

The final touch and dash includes a large shoulder corsage of fresh violets attached to the bolero. Then when you go to the paddock-side that horse after one look cannot help but slide home first with the money for such a pert and fashion-wise miss.

centres will deliver them to our shops. Therefore, while you are studying the details of a new spring costume do not neglect the most essential accessory, a bonnet, and presented here is a general idea of the millinery story to come.

Sport activities, motoring, sailing, and other informal occasions call for the square scarfs. A riot of colour, you not only will wear them about your head, but at your neck and the waist as a belt. These bright squares are made of silk, foulard being outstanding, however, there are many of cotton prints to be worn with playsuits, slacks and swimming costumes.

The open hat and bandeau will be worn this summer but not with such popularity as in the past.

Pill box style in natural straw, navy and black are being shown with tailored suits, and one piece dark crepe dresses. The trim of this hat is mainly ribbon of bright colours corresponding with the trim or colour of the costume.

FAVOURITE FOR DAY WEAR

The sailor is again a favourite for day wear. The crown is shallow and the brim does not

A pill box of Milan straw with a nest of small flowers and a stiff eye-veil compliments the dressy ensemble worn on formal occasions.

NEW SPRING BONNET

The new spring bonnet! Year after year large and small females in this world have paid a great deal of attention to the spring hat, called many times "an Easter bonnet."

The religious holiday of Easter will be early in April this year, however, in this particular climate straws and light weight hats are displayed in the shops before that date.

In the fashion centres of Europe and America new millinery designs are now on display. In Hongkong we have not recived many of the advanced styles, but by the middle of next month steamers from these have the large upward scoop of last summer. Some of the brims are turned down about an inch at the edge. In this instance again coloured ribbon bows sit on top of the hat giving it a youthful appearance. These hats are made of medium weight rough straw.

Another breton of natural straw has the small "doll hat" crown and the upturned brim is double. A bright bird's wing rises from the crown and shoots to a fine point in the air.

ROUCH, SHINY STRAWS

Quite a few of the straws are shiny, and all tend to dip over the eyes, crowns are a little larger, however, they still present the appearance of the hat just sitting on top of the head. Veils are in the minority and do not extend below the nose or cheek bone when used.

Rough straw is being used mainly and the trimmings are new, and quite different. Large floppy flowers, stiff bows, large feathers and antelope and suede are dressing up many hats.

Felts are always in style, the models for the next month or two have high narrow crowns and floppy brims or large ones with dips here and there. Colour is outstanding deep orange with brown alligator or suede trimmings, purple with black antelope bands. Cherry red with green or black trim. Colour predominates, thus this type of hat is worn to advantage with the winter and new spring tailored suits or dressmaker ensembles where the bolero is still holding it's place in fashions.

Evening wear the trend is toward crown styles with or without brims. They are designed from stiff tulle, soft feathers and bright pieces of stiff moire or grograin. There is little trim, the treatment of the material being used in a dashing or sophisticated manner.

WINTER INTO SPRING

Until the end of this month, the small fur puffs, velvets, felts, and velours in winter hats are correct. According to a few fashion experts, small shallow fur hats combined with grograin or light weight wool will be worn into summer with suits and country costumes.

This coming season duplicates many of last year's styles, but you will note a twist, roll or turn here and there changes the models. There is still a wide selection range, and several models and trims of last season are definitely on the wane.

Hats, again this year are sassy and ridiculous, the men will continue to laugh but you will Enjoy the New Chapeau.

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quite thoroughly in her window display beside the many combinations of costumes on sale in her shop. Light weight woollen, dresses plainly tailored, vibrate colour and you will find millinery complimenting these ensembles in contrast.

Gathers, pleats, girdles are outstanding points in the new dresses, all of these are incorporated in the selection of afternoon and cocktail frocks on sale in this shop. Dark and bright shades in crepe models have metal thread designs making them dressy for the informal afternoon occasions.

Before you utter the words "I can't find anything new to wear to the races, that wedding or important engagement," stop in Riveile's shop and review these new frocks which would be most suitable for the event.

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CHARMING A CAMERA

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Your best aid in counteracting the unflattering result is special make-up. Your face in its usual daytime make-up will not photograph naturally, because it will not be under normal lights. But correct photographic make-up will help you to achieve a natural looking photograph and to reduce necessary retouching to a minimum. Retouching always leaves an unnatural effect.

Panchromatic make-up is sensitive to light of all colours, with medium hair you use a middle shade of this make-up; with blond hair, a darker shade; or with dark hair and brunette colouring, a light shade.

In any shade, panchromatic make-up is brown in tone, even to the lip rouge. And it includes an unguent form of grease-paint foundation, powder, eye shadow and eyebrow pencil.

Remove all street make-up with soap and water and pat on an astringent lotion to free your skin of oil. Stipple the make-up foundation in freckle-like dots all over your face and neck. Then, dip your fingers in water, and smoothe it on in an even, light film, blending it well into your hairline, on your upper and lower lids, around the nostrils, and under your lip and chin. Now, pat a lavish application of powder over the cream, and remove the surplus with a complexion brush. For a flattering, mat-like finish, dip a pad of cotton into water, squeeze it nearly dry, and pat it lightly over the entire powdered area.

EYE MAKE-UP

You are ready to make-up your eyes. To increase their apparent size, draw a line just inside the lashes on the upper and lower lids, and extend the markings slightly beyond the outer corners. But blend these lines into the softest of shadows. Apply shadow to the centre of your lids, and fade it out toward the corners and upward toward the brows. If the eyes are inclined to bulge, apply shadow heavily, which helps to push them in. But if the eyes are unusually deep-set, use foundation cream instead of shadow.

Dip your eyebrow pencil in water, and lightly sketch your brows with fine, short, hair-line strokes. Start the line directly above the tear duct, and follow the curve of your lids when your eyes are wide open. Brush the darkener down with an eyebrow brush, for a softer effect. Remove powder with a clean brush, and if it clings stubbornly, dampen your brush. Apply mascara so that each lash has individual importance, and make sure there are no tell-tale beads to catch photographic shadows.

Before you block out your lip-line to improve its contours, cover it completely with your foundation, and apply rouge over the blocking agent. A film of powder over the first application of rouge, followed by a second coating of colour, is a trick to give your lips a thick, velvety texture. Pat oil or cream over your lips to catch flattering lights and to give a fresh, dewy look.

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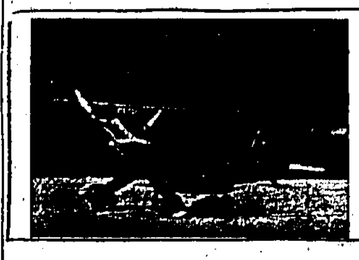

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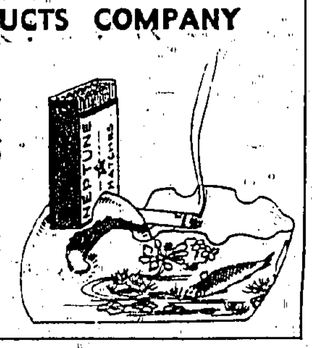

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Today's Screenings

Hongkong

KING'S:
"The Shopworn Angel"
QUEEN'S:
"Youth Takes A Fling"
ORIENTAL:
"You're A Sweetheart"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:
"Youth Takes A Fling"
STAR:
"Under The Red Robe"
MAJESTIC:
"Sally, Irene And Mary"

Coming

KING'S:
"Three Loves Has Nancy"
QUEEN'S:
"A Man To Remember"
ORIENTAL:
"The Adventures Of Tom Sawyer"
"Call Of The Wild"
ALHAMBRA:
"The Storm"
STAR:
"Snow White And The Seven Dwarfs"
"Barretts Of Wimpole Street"
MAJESTIC:
"Double Wedding"

"THE SHOPWORN ANGEL"

"The Shopworn Angel," which opened yesterday at the King's Theatre, has a background which shows the first draft of World War soldiers as they marched away in 1917.

While the new film has a war theme it does not go into the battle scenes but attaches the problem from the inside, showing the loves of three people in various walks of life.

Margaret Sullavan does her finest emotional acting as the girl with a hard-boiled past who married a naive soldier boy on the eve of his departure for France.

James Stewart is seen as the bewildered young Westerner who falls in love with the gold-digging showgirl, unaware that she has an admirer in the person of Walter Pidgeon, rich man-about-town.

Nat Pendleton, Alan Curtis and Sam Levene present a revealing picture of three soldiers. Others in the cast includes Hattie McDaniel, Eleanor Lynn and Charlie D. Brown.

JACKIE COOGAN'S WIFE TO RESUME HOUSEKEEPING

EL PASO, Texas, — Jackie Coogan, the grown-up one-time child film star, said recently that he and his actress-wife Betty Grable had "settled our troubles" and would resume housekeeping as soon as he returned to Hollywood. Coogan is returning from New Orleans.

STRANGE DEATH OF CHINESE YOUTH

IPOH, Feb. 1—News of the strange circumstances surrounding the sudden death of a Chinese boy in Tambun, a small town on the outskirts of Ipoh, has just reached here

It appears the boy was having his breakfast with a number of others the other day when all of a sudden he moved towards the window on the top floor of the building and without any warning he is alleged to have jumped from a height of about 30 feet.

Much to the surprise of many he picked himself up and walked a few paces when he was stopped by some passers-by.

On being questioned about his queer behaviour the boy in a voice which was scarcely audible replied that his mother, who was dead, had appeared to him begging him to join her. He then dropped down dead

BRITISH FILM BANNED

Censors' Action Rouses Storm

Adapting Nelson's famous Trafalgar signal into Britain Expects, as its title, the Progressive Film Institute, in conjunction wth several organisations, has produced a film indicting the Chamberlain Government's indifference to the havoc wrought to British ships and the peril to their crew, by General Franco, the Reber Leader.

The film reveals how British trade is being handed over to the Germans and Italians. Authentic pictures of the bombing of British vessels and graphic diagrams show that many British trade routes are now within the radius of German and Italian aerodromes on the coasts of Spain.

Gibraltar is shown ringed round by German long-range guns. It also shows how 'planes from German and Italian aerodromes in Spanish territory, European or African, can cut across all British trade routes.

The British Censors have banned the film and this has raised a storm of protests.

"It appears from the ban," comments the General Secretary, National Union of Seamen, London, "that no film may be shown in this country which could offend the susceptibility of Hitler and

Solution No. 230

ACROSS: 1, Debts. 5, Scrub. 8, Tight. 9, Llama. 10, Alive. 11, Rye. 12, Agent. 14, Suspend. 17, Kitten. 19, Report. 22, Efforts. 25, Poles. 28, See. 29, Tango. 30, Cameo. 31, Merit. 32, Allay. 33, Satin. DOWN: 1, Delta. 2, Brave 3, Startle. 4, Egress. 5, Stays. 6, Raise. 7, Blend. 13, Grief. 15, Pup. 16, Norse 18, Two. 20, Expects. 21, Assure. 22, Extra. 23, Final. 24, Roomy. 26, Limit 27, Swoon.

Soviet Warns Through Film

"IF WAR SHOULD COME"

"If War Should Come" forms the title of a new Russian film. Acclaimed as a counterblast to suggestions that Soviet Russia is too weak to play her part in international affairs, the picture depicts an attack on the Soviet Union by a European Power (Germany, very thinly disguised) and a short, sharp war ending with the Russians on the way to the enemy's capital by air, on horse back, in fast tanks, and on foot, with enemy's General Staff ingloriously captive in a clump of bushes, expressing dismay in bad German.

An easy and romantic triumph in which sabre-waving cavalry and fast tanks play more part than bombers and starvation. The Soviet guns hit, and the German guns miss to convey the impression that if there is a war they are confident to win it.

To the Soviet people it says, "Don't worry"; to others it says, "If you attack us we shall fight you on your soil, not on ours."

The film contains scenes of real manoeuvres, the most spectacular among which is a mass descent by parachute, behind the enemy's lines."

SALLY, IRENE, MARY

There are stars enough, laughs, tunes and gags enough for a dozen big musicals, plus a screenful of romance and that extra zing and sparkle that make it Darryl F. Zanuck's top-hit show, "Sally, Irene and Mary," 20th Century-Fox picture at the Majestic Theatre.

Alice Faye and Tony Martin sing the tunefullest songs you've ever heard, as only they know how. With Fred Allen of radio's "Town Hall To-night," twice as funny face-to-face, they lead a whole "who's-who" of pepper-uppers frolicking to town.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

ANNIVERSARIES and HOLIDAYS. —St. Scholastica.

AUCTIONS.—Condemned Police and Fire Brigade Stores, at A. & B. Blocks, Old Victoria Gaol, Old Bailey Street, 11 a.m.; House Furniture, at 2 Connaught Road Central, ground floor, 2.30 p.m.

CINEMAS.—(See Column 3 of this Page).

DANCES.—Taikoo Recreation Club Annual Dance; Hongkong Reel Club Children's Class, at Union Church, Kennedy Road, 5.30 p.m.

LECTURES. — A.R.P., Lusitano Club 5.30 p.m.; La Salle College, 6 p.m.; Maryknoll Convent School, 4 p.m.; First Aid, Prof L. T. Ride, at P. W. D. Offices, 5.30 p.m.; at Ying Wah Boys' College, 8 p.m.

MAILS.—(See Page 16).

MEETINGS.—Helena May Religious Fellowship, 10.30 a.m.; Council of the University, in Legislative Council Chamber, 5.30 p.m.

MISCELLANEOUS. — Y.M.C.A. Women's Section, Bridge Class and Practice Play 10 a.m.; Cathedral Women's Fellowship Jumble Sale, in Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m. Vernacular Normal and Middle School Scholarships and Prize Distribution, 11 a.m.

MOON.—Chinese XII Moon, 22nd. Day.

RELIGIOUS.—Confirmation Class (Boys and Girls) Cathedral Hall, 4.30 p.m.

SOCIAL.—Cheero Club Ping Pong, Billiards and Darts; Whist Drive and Tombola in R.E., W.O's. and Sergeants' Mess, Wellington Barracks, 9.15 p.m.

SPORTS.—(See Page 2).

SUNRISE.—6.58 a.m. SUNSET.—6.17 p.m.

TIDES.—High at 01.34 and 13.59. Low at 07.03 and 20.11.

TO-MORROW

MOON.—Chinese XII Moon, 23rd. Day.

SUNRISE.—6.59 a.m. SUNSET.—6.16 p.m.

TIDES.—High at 00.38 and 13.15. Low at 06.32 and 18.57.

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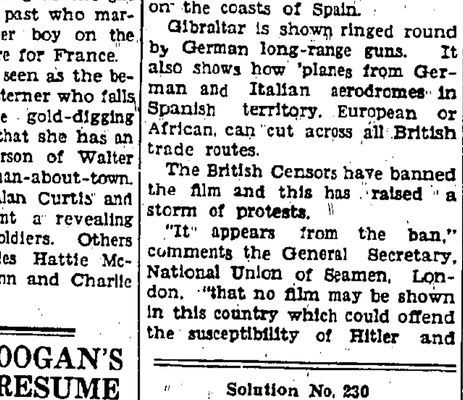

ACROSS
1 Shell fish (4)
5 Money (4)
8 Rubber (6)
9 Defamatory writing (5)
11 Nobleman (4)
12 Meant (8)
15 Tie (4)
17 Summer delicacies (4)
18 Keep up (7)
19 Enquire (3)
20 Fuss (3)
21 Poison (7)
23 Jetty (4)
24 Ventilates (4)
27 Dweller (8)
30 Possess (4)
31 Cries (5)
32 Reaping implement (6)
33 Deed (4)
34 Danger (4)

DOWN
2 Bird (5)
3 Zone (4)
4 Pledge (4)
5 Trust (6)
6 Yield (9)
7 Slice (4)
10 Terminals (4)
13 Reveals (7)
14 Suffocated by water (7)
16 Stubborn (9)
21 Take in charge (6)
22 Bamboo (4)
25 Details (5)
26 Waist scarf (4)
28 Mite (4)
29 Jug (4)

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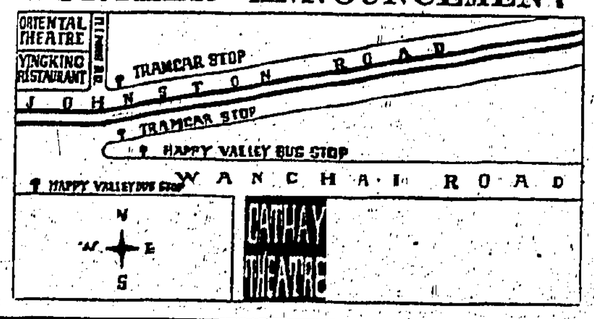

WOMEN'S PAGE

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TO-DAY'S QUESTIONS —

1. Name a good trunk

Answer:.....

2. Where does one find the picture of a fish?

Answer:.....

3. Where can you obtain a radio on the instalment plan?

Answer:.....

4. Which is the best Chinaware shop in Queen's Road C.

Answer:.....

5. Who can help you to solve your boy's problem?

Answer:.....

(Clip out the above and return to the "Hongkong Daily Press" as replies contained on other paper means disqualification from the contest).

Name of contestant (in block type):

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Address:

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MR. AND MRS. G. PIERCY

Diamond Wedding Anniversary

Mr. George Piercy, former Headmaster of the Diocesan Boys' School, and Mrs. Piercy are celebrating their Diamond wedding anniversary on April 1, and old boys of the school are taking the opportunity of showing their esteem and affection by subscribing for a present which will be handed to them by their son, Mr. Harold Piercy, who will be leaving next month for Victoria, B.C., where his parents now live.

Mr. Piercy retired in 1917 after being in charge of the school for several years, and it was largely due to his excellent work that the school grew to be what it is to-day.

Contributions may be sent to the Honorary Treasurer of the Diocesan School Old Boys' Association, Mr. F. A. Broadbridge, care of Messrs. John D. Hutchison and Co., King's Building.

The 19th annual general meeting of the Association will be held at the Chinese Merchants' Club, China Building, on February 28 at 7.15 p.m., followed by the annual dinner at 8 p.m.

FRIDAY'S MENU

BREAKFAST

Grapefruit
Cereal
Bacon Omelet
Bran Muffins
Jelly
Cocoa

LUNCHEON

Oyster Soup
Tomato Aspic Salad
Fillet of Sole
Tartar Sauce
Hashed Potatoes
Creamed Spinach
Boiled Onions with Lemon Sauce
Danish Pastry
Tea

DINNER

Cream of Asparagus Soup
Vegetable Salad
Baked Macroni with Tomato Sauce
Stewed Celery
Creamed Mushrooms
Corn Pudding
Apple Pudding with Hard Sauce
Coffee

LEGAL FLAW INTERRUPTS WEDDING

U.S. Divorce Not Valid In Colony

The marriage arranged between Mr. A. Percival Finch, assistant editor of the "North-China Daily News," Shanghai, and Miss Barbara Miller, formerly women's editor of the same journal, was unexpectedly interrupted at the Registry on Tuesday morning owing to a legal flaw and it is not yet decided when, or where, the ceremony will take place.

Official notice that the wedding would be held was published at H.M. Supreme Court several weeks ago, but no date was specified for the ceremony as the parties had not arrived in the Colony.

On Tuesday morning, the couple arrived at the Registry with their witnesses and friends and everything was arranged for the ceremony. Indeed, the couple were about to attach their names to the necessary documents when it was discovered that Miss Miller had formerly married a British subject and had obtained a divorce in the United States. As such divorces are not recognized in British law, the bride-to-be was still considered, in the eyes of British law, to be the wife of her former husband. Had she obtained a divorce in a British court of law, there would have been no question.

Accordingly, it was announced that the wedding would have to be delayed until Miss Miller had obtained a British divorce and that, in the meantime, the ceremony could not be performed in Hongkong.

CHINESE WEDDING AT REGISTRY

The wedding took place yesterday at the Supreme Court between Mr. Parker Chow, Assistant Editor of the "Chu Ching Yat Po" (Daily), and Miss Chan Yat-shing, residing at No. 15, Fuk Wah Street, Shamshuipo. Mr. T. S. Whyte-Smith, Registrar of Marriages officiated. Witnesses for the ceremony were Mr. Chow Koon-kan and Mrs. Kwok Lai-shin.

FORTHCOMING MARRIAGE

The forthcoming wedding is announced between Mr. Lau Kwong-ching, accountant of the Hongkong and Yaumati Ferry Company, Ltd., and Miss So Shuk-yin, residing at No. 3, Babington Park.

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NEWSETTES

The next dance at the Kowloon Cricket Club will be held on Chinese New Year's eve, Saturday, February 18.

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A millinery class will be conducted by the Women's Section of the European Y.M.C.A. on Monday at 10 a.m.

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Mr. R. H. Onraet, Inspector General of Police, S.S. and F.M.S., will be leaving Singapore at the end of this month.

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Admiral Le Bigot, Commander-in-Chief of the French Naval Forces in the Far East, is paying an official visit to Bangkok.

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Mr. Tan Siew-sin, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Tan Cheng-lock, who is studying at the Middle Temple, obtained a first class in Roman Law at the recent Bar examinations.

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The death took place in Penang on January 28 after a long illness, of Mr. Lim Chean Keat, at the age of 77. Deceased was a retired merchant of Penang and Ipoh.

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The Cathedral Women's Fellowship will hold a Jumble Sale at St. John's Cathedral Hall tomorrow afternoon. The Sale to be opened at 3 p.m.

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Colonel H. G. Eady and Captain A. D. Ward of H.M. Land Forces, left Hongkong for London by an Imperial Airways' plane this morning (Friday).

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Mr. Foo Yin-chiew has passed the Bar Final and his sister, Miss Foo Yuen-tai, has passed in Law of Contracts and Torts in the Bar Exam. They are the children of the late Mr. Foo Nyit-tse, of Ipoh.

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The death took place at Singapore on January 27 of Mr. J. W. Hunt, managing director of Messrs. R. Young and Co., Penang, at the age of 67. He was a keen Volunteer and Freemason.

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The Star Ferry announces that the mid-day five-minute service will be extended as follows: From Hongkong, 12.05 to 12.35 p.m., and from Kowloon, 12.00 to 12.30 p.m. This extension will be continued until further notice.

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Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Elser, of Manila will arrive in Hongkong, to-day, about 1 p.m. on the s.s. President Coolidge en route to the United States on a business and vacation trip. Mr. Elser is manager of the company bearing his name.

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Johore has an extensive programme for the development of paddy cultivation this year. Irrigation and drainage works have gone far ahead. A sum of $300,000 was spent last year and twice this figure has been allocated for the purpose of paddy development this year.

A Chinese dinner followed by a performance by native jugglers will be held at the European Y.M.C.A. on Thursday next at 8.30 p.m. The dinner is being arranged by the Y's Women's Section, and is open to members and friends.

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The death occurred in London on January 28 of Mr. Jacob Haskell, chairman of the Eastern Bank, Ltd. Mr. Haskell was formerly a partner of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon & Co., merchants of Hongkong and China.

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Three delegates from Koming, Kwangtung, have arrived here to solicit funds for relief for refugees in the district. According to the delegates, the district has been raided by Japanese planes ten times during the last 12 months. Casualties were about 75 killed and 104 wounded, and property damage amounted to $738,000.

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Dr. J. O. Poynton, Medical Officer, Malayan Medical Service, who has recently done work on diseases among the peasants of Malaya and among railway workers, has been appointed Acting Pathologist of the Institute of Medical Research, F.M.S.

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A popular young couple will be married on February 16, when Miss P. Esmail becomes the bride of Mr. K. Hussain Hon. Secretary of the Hockey Umpires' Board. A reception will be held at No. 233 Nathan Road, top floor, the same evening at 9 p.m.

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According to the Kedah Government Gazette any future applicant for registration as teacher in any English school in the State who has not passed the Malayan School Certificate examination with a pass in Oral English, unless he has passed an equivalent or higher examination and has passed the Oral English tests held annually for local School Certificate candidates, will be refused registration by the Registrar.

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Malayans of the older generation have learned with regret of the death of Mrs. Elizabeth Ebden, M.B.E., which took place at Dormansland, Sussex, on January 19. Mrs. Ebden's husband, the late Mr. Leonard Powney Ebden, was Judicial Commissioner, F.M.S., in 1910, and later became a Judge of the Supreme Court. Mr. and Mrs. Ebden left Malaya in 1918.

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Sir Shenton Thomas, Governor of the Straits Settlements, is "a perfect gentleman and a regular fellow," Mr. Paul V. McNutt, United States High Commissioner to the Philippines, is reported to have told the "Manila Bulletin" on his return. "It's some base," was his comment on Singapore's naval defences. Incidentally, Sir Shenton is at present on an official visit to Siam.

Round About

An elderly gentleman sat reading his morning newspaper on the ferry boat; he was joined by a younger male acquaintance who pulled his own newspaper from his pocket and commenced to peruse the news therein.

After a few minutes of reading the old man turned and remarked about a news item in his paper.

The young man replied, "I read that yesterday," and continued reading. Suddenly he started to read aloud from his paper. The older gentleman stopped him by asking, "what page are you reading from?"

On being informed, he shuffled through the paper to the page designated, but could not locate the item.

The younger man glanced at the other's page, then at the date line and laughingly informed him that he was reading yesterday's newspaper.

"GYPSY SHOW"

At the monthly meeting of the St. Andrew's Church Women's Fellowship's afternoon of games, at the Church Hall yesterday, an innovation was introduced by the mah jong players in the form of a "gypsy show" to entertain the bridge and mah jong players.

The show included a display of colourful costumes and a musical programme led by Mrs. Randall at the piano. Mrs. Hunt was the stage-manager. At the next meeting on the second Thursday in March, the whist players will surprise with a programme of entertainment, it is rumoured.

Neither Mendelssohn's "Wedding March", nor Wagner's Bridal March from "Lohengrin" may in future be played at weddings in the diocese of Szekesfehervar, Budapest.

The bishop has issued an order banning operatic music in his churches, or any music other than that specially written for church services.

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GUNBOATS AND UPPER YANGTZE CRAFT

Splendid Construction Work By Thornycroft & Co.

IT IS INTERESTING TO RECALL THAT THE FIRST NAVAL VESSELS TO navigate the Upper Yangtze were the British river gunboats H.M.S. "Woodcock" and "Woodlark" built by John I. Thornycroft & Co., in 1898—forerunners of the type of which the "Grasshopper," is the latest example.

In May 1900 both vessels arrived at Chungking after a successful ascent of the rapids, the most noteworthy part of this feat being that "Woodlark" had used only her own motive power and had not been "tracked" through the rapids. This was the first occasion on which any vessel had reached Chungking without assistance from trackers on shore.

Such was the success of these boats that orders were at once placed with Thornycroft & Co., by the Japanese and French Navies for similar craft, "Sumida," "Argus" and "Vigilante." A special feature of these boats was their tunnel form of stern, which permitted the employment of propellers of considerably greater diameter than the draft of the vessels. This form was patented by the late Sir John I. Thornycroft, F.R.S., founder of the Company, and first used on vessels built for the Nile, as long ago as the Gordon Relief Expedition.

For Kitchener's Soudan campaign Thornycroft & Co. built the "Melik," which was very similar to the "Woodcock" and "Woodlark," and the gunboat fleet contributed largely to the success of this expedition. Although hit by shells on several occasions neither vessel sustained any vital injury to either engines or boilers, which is a little surprising for, as an incentive to good marksmanship, the reward of a wife was promised to any gunner getting a shell into either of the boats

EARLY NILE GUNBOATS

These early Nile gunboats were all sent out in sections and re-erected on the river as, until recently, was the practice for the Yangtze. Thus, H.M.S. "Sandpiper," a specially shallow draft vessel constructed by Thornycroft & Co., was despatched from Southampton in plates and angles and re-erected in Shanghai, at the Kiangnan Dockyard. Incidentally, this yard also built six river gunboats for the American Navy, in which Thornycroft boilers were installed.

The "Dragonfly" and her sister boat, "Grasshopper," will be completed at Southampton and steam out to their destination. This is rendered possible by their increased size and draft over the original "Woodcock" type and because, though built of very light scantlings, they are really very strong. Proof of this was given a few years ago by an accident to the "Fushun," built by Thornycroft & Co., in 1925.

Lloyd's surveyors reported that not one piece of material in the vessel had shown a fracture, which is hardly believable when one sees the way the plates were bent without leakage at the rivets—a striking tribute to Thornycroft design and construction.

The stretch of river from Chungking to Ichang involves extraordinary difficulties. The fall between these two places is no less than 476 feet in the distance of 400 miles, or an average gradient of more than 14 inches a mile. Due to this and also because the river is confined in narrow gorges or ravines there are some 35 rapids where the current will at times exceed 6 knots and, at the most difficult, attain the extraordinary rate of 13 knots.

These rapids vary considerably with the height of the river, some improving and others getting worse with a fall in level, as they are caused respectively by obstructions near the banks and in the river bed. This is aptly illustrated by the Chinese saying:

"Yo Tching Wu Yen
Yo Yen Wu Tching"

which means that when the Tching tan rapid is bad the Ye tan is nothing, but when the Tching is nothing then it is time to fear the Ye tan!

"UNNAVIGABLE"

In fact, it is not too much to say that this stretch of river with its rapids, shallows, abrupt bends, eddies and submerged rocks would be labelled "unnavigable" were it not such an essential artery, and the one outlet for the trade of such an immense area. For the Yangtze is to China what the Mississippi, the Amazon and the Plate rivers are to North and South America.

So important is the traffic on this great highway that before 1914 it was estimated that some 10,000 junks were trading between Ichang and Chungking, and these were reckoned to do good business if they made two trips per annum—a sufficient index to the difficulties of the route.

In this manner the upstream journey may take up to three months whilst that downstream can be accomplished in from six to twelve days. Moreover, a relatively immense crew is required, the larger junks carrying more than 100 men. Of these probably 80 will be landed at the rapids to "track" or haul the vessel upstream by large tow ropes, whilst the remainder will be employed on board fending-off from rocks and in working huge sweeps.

The first commercial vessel to ply unaided through the rapids was the s.s. "Shu-Tung," built by Thornycroft & Co., in 1909, and the success of this venture proved the possibility of regular services and opened the upper river to steam navigation. By the end of 1912 this boat had completed 35 round trips through the gorges, an interesting comparison with the two per annum of the junks already mentioned.

In peace time there were occasional troubles with bandits and commercial vessels were provided with bullet-proof wheelhouses but if, in addition, air attack, whether by accident or design, has also to be allowed for, navigation will become increasingly hazardous. It is sincerely to be hoped that by the time H.M.S. "Grasshopper" takes up her station local conditions will have become more normal.

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RAUB AUSTRALIAN GOLD MINING REPORT

The report of the Raub Australian Gold Mining Company, Ltd., for four weeks ending January 28, 1939, is as follows:—

UNDERGROUND DEVELOPMENT

SECTION	Driving	Cross Cutting	Winzing and Rising	Total
	Ft.	Ft.	Ft.	Ft.
B. Koman	327	438	61	826
Raub	319	213	15	447
Derrick	138	299	39	476
Jalis	89	212	31	332
	773	1,162	146	2,081

BUKIT ROMAN SECTION

No. 7 Level:—An intermediate drive from a winze 790 ft. south of the shaft was driven to 54 ft. north of the winze on a reef 15 inches wide, which, as expected, was proved to be payable.

No. 8 Level:—The south drive was continued along the reef channel and no payable ore was disclosed. Driving has now been stopped. A parallel reef intersected in an east crosscut assayed Trace, and has been abandoned.

No. 9 Level:—The south drive was continued along a low grade reef 30 inches wide and routine cross-cutting disclosed no parallel reef.

Driving has been temporarily discontinued on this level in favour of more promising localities.

No. 10 Level:—The north and south drives were continued along reef channel and routine cross-cutting has disclosed no parallel reef.

BUKIT KOMAN NORTH

No. 10 Level:—The south drive was continued along reef channel and routine cross-cutting was done in country rock without results.

The north drive was continued and now appears to have traversed the faulted zone. No parallel reef has yet been located, but the country is now of a more favourable appearance.

The south drive from the crosscut 50 ft. north was continued on payable ore 12 inches wide to 41 ft. south of the crosscut where the reef pinched out.

A north drive from the crosscut on this reef was commenced and driven 40 ft. on payable ore 17 inches wide.

RAUB SECTION

No. 3 Level:—North and south drives were continued along reef indicator and no payable stringers were intersected.

No. 4 Level:—North drive was continued and the stringer zone expected has been intersected. The extent and value of this zone has yet to be proved, but the indications are favourable.

South drive was continued along reef indicator and several stringers were intersected none of which is payable.

DERRICK SECTION

No. 5 Level:—South drive continued along low grade reef. The major fault plane which displaces the reef channel between Bukit Koman and Derrick Sections has been intersected and driving has been discontinued. Routine cross-cutting disclosed no parallel reef.

No. 6 Level:—North and south drives were continued along reef channel and no payable ore was disclosed. A parallel reef intersected in an east crosscut from the north drive assayed 0.8 dwts. per ton.

JALIS SECTION

North drives on the 4th and 5th levels were continued along low grade reef, in which occur patches of payable ore. Rises have been started to prove payable patches.

Routine cross-cutting was done in country rock without results.

MINING

Section	Underground Ore Tons	Surface Ore Tons	Total Tons
B. Koman	1,980	—	1,980
Raub	1,347	—	1,347
Derrick	815	558	1,373
Jalis	33	—	33
Anderson	—	506	506
Malacca	—	25	25
	4,175	1,089	5,264

BUKIT KOMAN SECTION

The stopes on Nos. 6, 7 and 8 levels continue to produce payable ore.

RAUB SECTION

Good ore is being obtained from the stopes on Nos. 2 and 5 levels.

DERRICK SECTION

The stopes on Nos. 3, 4 and 5 levels are producing payable ore, and a rich shoot of un-proved extent has been discovered in a stope between Nos. 3 and 4 levels.

SURFACE

A considerable amount of good surface ore continues to be mined.

TREATMENT PLANT

Battery

Ore, tons crushed	5257
Stamp hours worked	9152
Proportion of full time	97.3%
Bullion produced, ounces	1263.86
Residue, discard, dwt. per ton	0.79
Residue to retreatment plant dwt. per ton	1.46

RETREATMENT PLANT

Tons treated current tailings	4,115
Tons treated dump tailings	3,270
Tons treated table concentrates	196
Total	7,581
Calcined concentrate treated, tons	107
Bullion recovered ounces	804.97

GOLD SHIPMENT

	Bullion oz.	Fine Gold oz.
Battery	1,263.86	1,202.67
Retreatment	804.97	639.07
	2,068.83	1,841.74

BUILDING CONTRACTOR FINED $150

Alleged Misuse Of Water

Fined $150 in his absence on Wednesday, Chung Chou, building contractor, of 32 D'Aguilar Street, appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of misusing of water from a public pipe, and gave as an excuse for his non-appearance in Court, the fact that he appeared before another Court by mistake.

Defendant pleaded not guilty yesterday and said that the water taken was meant for cooking purposes.

Inspector Cash, of the Waterworks Department, stated that he discovered a block of six four-storied houses were being erected without a building supply. He asked the contractor where he obtained his water and was informed that he got it from a well. Mr. Cash said that there were three wells on the lot, but two of them had not been bored down to the water while the third was practically empty.

A public stand-pipe had been erected on the corner of the lot and it was suspected that defendant had been making use of same.

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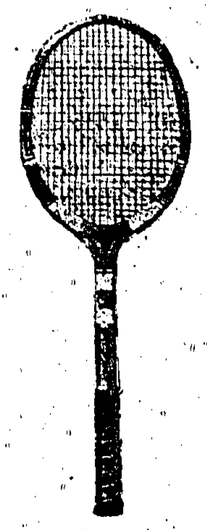

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COLONY HEALTH RETURNS

Sixteen cases of tuberculosis were notified to the local Health authorities on Wednesday in addition to four cases each of diphtheria and measles (one imported), three of chicken-pox, two each of enteric fever, cerebro-spinal fever and dysentery, and one of small-pox.

INQUEST VERDICT

A verdict of "death due to peritonitis caused by a ruptured stomach" was returned by Mr. E. Himsworth at the Kowloon Court yesterday when an inquiry was held into the death of a motor-cyclist named Leung Kin-sang, 29, who was killed on December 8 in a collision with a motor-lorry in Nathan Road.

AIRPORT MOVEMENTS

Due to poor weather conditions, the weekly inward Air France service from Hanoi is a day late and does not arrive in Hongkong until to-day (Friday) at noon.

The return flight to Hanoi will leave Kai Tak, per schedule, to-morrow (Saturday) at 6.30 a.m.

Two planes of Imperial Airways left Hongkong this morning (Friday) for Bangkok with mail and passengers.

According to official reports, the Saturday schedule is on time, therefore, two planes will arrive with mail from all ports to-morrow (Saturday) between 4 and 5 p.m.

The Pan American Airways' China Clipper is reported due in Hongkong at noon, Sunday, from America and Manila.

The return flight will leave Kai Tak, Monday, at approximately 8.30 a.m.

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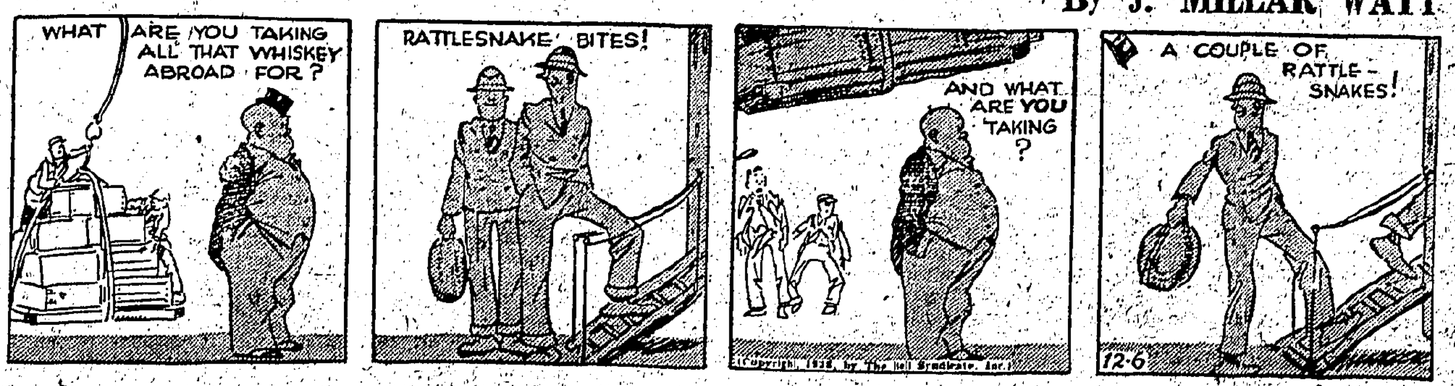

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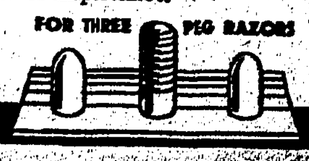

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE FORTY-FIRST ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd. on Friday, the 24th February, 1939, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1938.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from Friday, the 17th February, 1939, to Friday, the 24th February, 1939, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
C. M. MANNERS,
Secretary.

Hong Kong, 30th Jan., 1939.
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PUBLIC AUCTION.

PARTICULARS AND CONDITIONS of the Sale by Public Auction to be held on Monday, the 13th day of Feb., 1939, at 3 p.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor of one Lot of Crown Land at Ma Tau Kok, in the Colony of Hong Kong for a term of 75 years, with the option of renewal at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor of His Majesty the KING, for one further term of 75 years.

Intending bidders are advised that immediately after the disposal of the lot the Purchaser (if not the applicant), will be required to deposit with an authorised officer who will be present at the sale, the sum of two hundred dollars, ($200) in cash. This sum will be refunded on payment of the Purchase price.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT

No. of Sale.	Registry No.	Locality.	Boundary Measurements. N.	S.	E.	W.	Contents in Square feet.	Annual Rental.	Upset Price.
			ft.	ft.	ft	ft.		$	$
1	Kowloon Inland Lot No. 4118. Adjoining Kowloon Inland Lot No. 9024, Pak Tai Street, Ma Tau Kok.	As per sale plan					About 6,700	124	5,036

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THE T'IEN HSIA MONTHLY

January Issue

The "Tien Hsia Monthly" has come to be regarded by serious students of Chinese culture as one of the first reviews in its sphere, and it is satisfying to see that, despite the many difficulties which it has had to face in recent months on account of the war, the journal is able to maintain a fairly high standard of publication.

The January number which has just been received is not bulky but contains excellent and valuable material. Capt. C. R. Boxer writes on Isaac Titsingh's embassy to the court of Ch'ien Lung, Chao Chun-hao contributes a short account of the reforms and new tendencies in university education in China, while Teresa Li is represented by a sheaf of translations of Chinese poetic gems of various periods.

Chen Shou-yi writes on Oliver Goldsmith and his "Chinese Letters," while other articles and book reviews make up an entirely worth while number.

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CHINESE WOMEN DO THEIR BIT

HONGKONG'S Chinese ladies, who have been so energetic in working for the good of the community and for their own people and soldiers in more ways than one, have every reason to congratulate themselves, because their efforts to establish an Industrial Workshop for Refugees has been crowned with success. It must be gratifying for them to know that they are doing their bit to alleviate the sufferings of the Chinese women who have been forced to come to the Colony from the war-afflicted areas for refuge.

DRIVEN from their homes, forced to part with their husbands and children, these women, the majority of whom come from the peasantry, were compelled to flee with whatever little belongings they could before the oncoming Japanese hordes. Walking for days (there was no possibility of getting a lift), they underwent all sorts of hardships and sufferings before they found a haven of refuge in Hongkong. With the little money they possessed, they were unable to meet the exorbitant prices demanded for food on the way and they had to eat what they could buy, or go hungry. Time after time, they were held up by armed robbers, or puppets of the Japanese barbarians, posing as guerillas, and robbed of one thing or another until, upon their arrival here, they possessed almost nothing.

SOMETHING had to be done for them lest they should become a burden on the already overtaxed but generous community. So a group of Hongkong's Chinese womenfolk nobly stepped into the breach, and took a hand. This small but energetic band took up the task with enthusiasm and, instead of working along the usual lines, turned in a different direction. They decided that to give help to people in distress was all very well but there was a limit to the help that could be given. Accordingly, it was agreed that the refugee women should be taught some useful work, such as shoemaking, knitting, embroidering and flower-making, and dressmaking and re-modelling of old clothes, to keep them employed so that eventually they can help themselves. This was considered to be of paramount importance to maintain the refugees' self-respect and for their well-being when they return to their homes and to their normal lives.

NEVERTHELESS, it must not be forgotten that the refugees are mostly peasant women who will, after the war, return to their farms. Therefore, they should be taught not only the simple handicrafts mentioned, which are intimately connected with urban life, but they should be taught those things connected with the rural life which they have lived and to which they will eventually return: for instance, they should be given a chance to study elementary agriculture.

CHINA'S WOMENFOLK have been accused of being good as decorations but useless so far as public service are concerned. With this accusation we cannot see eye to eye. The women of Hongkong have set a fine example but none could be finer than that established by Mme. Chiang Kai-shek, China's First Lady, who deserves all credit for her democratic unreservedness. Mme. Chiang had made a distinct departure from the reservedness which has characterized the Chinese woman in the past and for that she deserves full praise. Another fine example of heroic China's womanhood is Mrs. Herman C. E. Liu, wife of the former president of the University of Shanghai who was assassinated a year ago by agents of the Japanese and made a martyr to the cause of Chinese nationalism. Mrs. Liu, who is now a member of the People's Political Council, has decided that the best way to perpetuate the memory of her husband is to continue in public service in a spirit more determined than ever before.

UNDOUBTEDLY the Chinese women of Hongkong will continue to do their part and many other workshops similar to the South China Industrial Workshop will come into existence in the not distant future.

"MR. X." MAIN WITNESS IN HOTEL RAID CASE

Man Accused Of Living On Proceeds Of Prostitution

"MR. X." WAS CALLED AS THE PRINCIPAL WITNESS for the prosecution before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday afternoon when Wong Kong, 24, unemployed, was charged with living on the proceeds of prostitution. Two married women, Wong Chat-mui, 45, and Chan Fu-yun, 52, charged with exercising control over prostitutes were remanded in connection with the same case.

Mr. John Whyatt, Crown Counsel, conducted the prosecution, while Mr. J. M. D'Almada Remedios appeared for Wong Kong.

In his opening, Mr. Whyatt stated that it would have been impossible to bring the case to Court if "Mr. X." had not offered his assistance.

Giving the facts of the case, Crown Counsel said that the procedure adopted by the defendant appeared to have been to hire a room in a hotel in which a girl would be placed. On receipt of a telephone call the girl would be taken to the place where she would be hired out.

"On January 25, 'Mr. X.' happened to be visiting the Empress Hotel in Connaught Road. He had a conversation with some person, during which the procedure of obtaining a girl was mentioned," said Counsel.

"Two days later, 'Mr. X.' communicated with Miss Harrop, Lady Assistant of the Secretariat for Chinese Affairs, and acting on instructions received from Miss Harrop, 'Mr. X' went to the Asia Hotel, where he engaged a room.

"Subsequently he telephoned to another room in the same hotel. His call was answered by a Chinese male voice. He told this person that he 'wanted' a certain girl, whom he named.

"A little later, defendant arrived at his room, went inside, and asked him for $10.

MONEY PAID

"'Mr. X' paid this amount to defendant, and on the latter leaving the room, an American girl, whose age is about 14 years, came into the room in accordance with the arrangements made.

"'Mr. X' telephoned Miss Harrop and she arrived with police officers.

"After a few questions in 'Mr. X's' room, the police proceeded to the other room in the Asia Hotel, where four persons were found.

"One of these persons was defendant, one a woman and two were girls.

"The man was detained. The room was searched and certain documents were discovered and seized.

"The girl herself will say that she is only fourteen years of age, and that she was born in the United States of America, of an American woman. She will tell you that her natural mother is dead, and that her father is still living in New York.

"She was brought to Hongkong seven years ago, and has been living with Wong Chat-mui, a woman against whom other charges have been laid.

"The girl will tell you that she has been practising prostitution for some months, on the procedure outlined."

"MR. X" GIVES EVIDENCE

Mr. "X" gave evidence corroborating Crown Counsel's statement and was then cross-examined by Mr. Remedios.

You are well acquainted with the ways and means of obtaining a girl in this Colony?—No.

I put it to you that defendant never saw you in Room 505 at all?—He asked me for the money.

You are taking a very active part in this case?—Yes.

The Magistrate—Are you a relative?—Certainly not!

Mr. Remedios: Was it that you wanted the girl for yourself?—Certainly not.

The Magistrate: It was only because you took sympathy on the girl that you went to the authorities?—Yes.

The American girl, in evidence, said:

"I am known as Helen Wong. That is one of several names.

"I am sixteen years old by the Chinese calendar.

"I am giving now at the Salvation Army Home, but in January this year, I was staying at the Asia Hotel in Room No. 208."

After further evidence the hearing was adjourned to February 23.

TERRIBLE CASE OF CRUELTY TO A MUI-TSAI

Girl Burned With Lighted Cigarette

Chin Min-yuk, 25, married woman, and Ng Kam-shui, 35, shop-keeper, appeared before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday charged with keeping an unregistered mui-tsai, Lo Yin, alias Ng Yin, aged 12, at No. 9 Pokfulum Road, and ill-treating her.

Chow Ha-ho, 23, clerk, was charged with common assault on Lo Yin on February 6.

First and second defendants were cautioned on the first charge. On the second charge first defendant was fined $500 and second defendant $250. Chow was fined $100 on the charge of common assault.

BURNED ON ARM

Insp. H. W. Fraser, of the S.C.A., said that one morning between January 31 and February 6, the girl said she was awakened about 4 a.m. by the first defendant, who burned her with a lighted cigarette on the arm and pinched the back of her hand.

On another occasion, the second defendant struck her with a wooden pole used in collapsible canvas beds because she failed to get up to let the night-soil coolie in.

On a further occasion, she was beaten on the chest, back and hands with feather duster because she failed to cook the rice in a proper manner.

His Worship remarked that it was one of the worst cases of ill-treatment he had heard of.

POWERS URGED TO TAKE CONCRETE STEPS

CHUNGKING, Feb. 9 (Int'l)—Dr. Wang Chung-hui, Minister of Foreign Affairs, in an exclusive interview here with the correspondent of the Associated Press, urged the Powers to take concrete steps to bring about a settlement of the Sino-Japanese conflict.

"Now that strong United States, British and French notes have been sent to Japan," Dr. Wang is reported to have declared, "the most important thing to do is to take concrete steps with other Powers interested in the Orient, to propose formally to Japan, at least the procedure of settlement, if not the very terms which are deemed fair and equitable to all in a settlement of the Far Eastern question."

SCHOLARSHIPS FOR NEWSPAPERMEN

Harvard University has offered, for another year, the Lucius W. Nieman scholarships for newspapermen, under which nine editors and reporters already are studying their chosen fields at the university.

The awards, given for the first time last year, provide for a full academic year of study at the same salaries the recipients received from their papers. Applications must be received by March 1, 1939.

ROBBERY ALLEGED

Yu Yan, 28, appeared with Tong Ping and Tsang On before Mr. R. A. D. Forrest at the Central Court yesterday, when a charge of robbery was preferred against defendants. The robbery was alleged to have been committed at an unnumbered hut on the hillside of Shaukiwan, when Chan Lai-wan was robbed of $30, a gold bangle and three gold rings and Chan Lai-sun was robbed of $181 and three gold rings. The accused were remanded to February 15 at 2.30 p.m.

CORRESPONDENCE

AIR MAIL NOTICES

[To the Editor, "The Hongkong Daily Press"]

Sir,—As published in to-day's Mail Notice, the General Post Office will henceforth close ordinary air-mail for the trans-Pacific Clipper service at 7.30 a.m. on the morning of departure, at the G.P.O. only.

For some time past, at the special request of this company, ordinary air-mail has been closed the night before departure. Through alleviation of certain emergency regulations, however, we have been able to withdraw our request, and the G.P.O. have made arrangements to again allow the air-mailing public extra time for posting.

The public is requested, however, as far as possible, to post the day before departure and to pay particular attention to closing times of registered air-mail appearing in the published Mail Notices, especially when Clippers arrive or depart on Sundays or holidays.

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Hongkong, Feb. 8, 1939.

CHINESE NEW YEAR

[To the Editor "The Hongkong Daily Press."]

Sir,—With the approach of the Chinese New Year and the festivities which have in the past been associated with it, may I appeal to all loyal and patriotic Chinese to refrain as far as possible from an unnecessary waste of money in merriment and the firing of crackers in celebrating this event. Any money which has been set aside, or is available, for such purposes can be of far greater use in relief work, where funds are badly needed.

I hope it is not necessary to have to remind all Chinese living comfortably here in Hongkong that there are thousands of their countrymen suffering untold hardships owing to the present war being waged so ruthlessly against China by Japan, and I am sure that this appeal will, therefore, bring a ready response from the Chinese community in this Colony.

PEARL RIVER

[To the Editor, "The Hongkong Daily Press"]

Dear Sir,—With reference to Press reports as to representations by Chambers of Commerce regarding the closure of the Pearl River, please note that telegrams were sent by the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce and the British Chamber of Commerce, Canton, not by the British Chamber of Commerce, Hongkong, or the Shameen Chamber of Commerce.

Yours faithfully,
M. F. KEY
Secretary.

PREPARATIONS FOR CHINESE NEW YEAR

Real Old-Fashioned Celebration

The Chinese community in Hongkong has already begun preparations for observing the lunar New Year festival, which falls on February 19, and in spite of the war and the official preference for the Gregorian calendar, all indications point to a real old-fashioned celebration.

The fair, which is annually held in Gloucester Road and in Kowloon, is not yet in full swing, but provision stores and joss dealers, as well as tailors and greeting card printers, are already doing a roaring trade.

Custom dies hard, and many native business houses still follow the practice of settling their accounts on the three or four festival days.

The principal settlement day, of course, is the lunar New Year, when all conscientious business men would prefer to pay all their debts and to collect as much as is owing to them.

Despite the throttling of trade as the result of the hostilities in South China, a preliminary survey shows that merchants will be able to meet their obligations and, so far, no anxiety is felt among business circles.

His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, yesterday celebrated the 58th anniversary of his birthday.

FUTURE OF SINO-JAPANESE WAR

Can Japan Win In China?

Dr. S. Lautenschlager, acting Dean and head of the Department of Social Sciences, Lingnan University, delivered an interesting address on "The future of the Sino-Japanese War: can Japan win in China? at the weekly tiffin meeting of the Hongkong Y's Men's Club in the St. Francis Hotel yesterday. Below we publish the first part of the lecture.

Dr. Lautenschlager said:—

Can Japan win in China is the question which is on all our minds. As the war drags on, as the lines lengthen and the costs mount, it is also becoming a question in every thoughtful Japanese mind. Japanese difficulties in China can be discussed under three main headings. First, growing world opinion against her and the hardening of Third Power opposition; second, increasing economic strain in Japan itself, and third, the stiffening of Chinese resistance in "occupied" as well as in "unoccupied" territory.

I

WORLD OPINION WITH CHINA

World opinion was with China from the beginning of the hostilities. Dr. Hu Shih, now Chinese Ambassador in Washington, after being in America three months, told a friend of mine, that Americans were 90 per cent. pro-Chinese. After another six months of touring the U.S.A., he said he had been mistaken. America was 99 per cent. pro-China.

Japan is the only country in the world which has been so unanimously condemned by the organized tribunals of world opinion. In February 1933, she was condemned by 42 states for violating the League of Nations Covenant. America taking part unofficially in this condemnation. In September 1937, the League Assembly unanimously adopted a resolution condemning the air bombing of civilians in China. On October 3, of the same year, a League committee reached the conclusion that Japan invaded China contrary to her obligations under the Nine Power Pact and the Pact of Paris. Three days later, the League Assembly recommended supporting China.

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In the same month, the Brussels Conference of the Nine Powers decided that Japan's use of armed force in China was unwarranted. Japan's arrogant refusal to participate in this Conference, which aimed at a peaceful solution of the Sino-Japanese conflict, incensed world opinion still more.

Japan's answer to these protests and appeals for a peaceful solution was to enlarge the area of conflict by greatly increasing her armed forces in China. She continued to bomb civilian industries, universities, hospitals and refugee trains. She machine-gunned the British ambassador, bombed the Panay, and everywhere violated Third Power rights, not only by military action in an undeclared war but by a monopoly of shipping and trade in the areas occupied by her military forces.

II

NEW POLICIES MUST PREVAIL

Protests against these violations of treaty rights only brought the response that Japan's sacrifices have created new responsibilities, and that under new conditions new policies must prevail. Thus Japan used her original violation of the Treaties as an argument for further violations. The violation of Chinese rights by invasion is used to justify the further violation of Third Power rights.

Japan's illogical arguments and her lack of a sense of humour, have often incensed world opinion as much as her illegal actions.

Japan especially offended the U.S.A. by her claim that our action in China was only establishing a Monroe Doctrine for Asia, similar to America's Monroe Doctrine for Latin America. American Statesmen indignantly replied that the American Monroe Doctrine was to guarantee the independence of the South American Republics and not to invade and destroy them, and that the Monroe Doctrine for China was the Nine Power Treaty, which Japan had so ruthlessly violated.

The fearful atrocities at Nanking, the rape, the loot and the massacre of prisoners, the bombings and the return of opium under official protection, in occupied areas, also aroused the indignation of the world.

In spite of declarations that she had no territorial aims in China, it became increasingly clear both by Japan's actions toward Third Powers and by her proposed Peace Terms that she aimed at the complete control of China's economic, political and international life. She clearly aimed at controlling everything which made territory worthwhile. Whoever controls the heart, brain and soul of a person, controls the body as well. Whoever controls the economics, politics and foreign policy of a nation controls the territory as well. As Japan's imperial aims became clear, democratic world-opinion rallied more and more to China.

III

LEAGUE AND SANCTIONS

Due to the international situation in Europe, the League of Nations felt she could not give corporate help to China, but in February 1938, and again in May, the League Council recommended that individual nation members give all possible help to China and in September 1938, the League agreed to apply Art XVI (Sanctions) against Japan. Each nation to apply sanctions as it could. In January 1939, in answer to China's appeal for financial aid and for a boycott of war materials to Japan, the League Council again appealed to Member nations to give all the possible help they could.

A host of other national, social, religious and international organizations have condemned Japan and have given or advocated help to China. Some of these are The American Federation of Labour and its rival in the U.S.A., the Committee of Industrial Organization, The American Student Union, American Negro Congress; Canadian Federation of Labour; six of the largest American Chain Store; the Indian National Congress; The Friends of China Associations in America, Canada, Great Britain and in the Philippine Islands; and The International Peace Congress; representing 14 nations and including 800 delegates. This Congress included some of the greatest men in England and continental Europe as Lord Cecil, Sir Norman Angell, Sir Arthur Salter, Henri Rolin, Leon Jouhaux, as well as Krishman Memon of India.

Recently the American, British and French governments have taken a stronger attitude in the East. No doubt this is due to or at least made possible by the rising anger of public opinion against the widening of the Japanese invasions in China and by the growing aggressions against Third Power Treaty rights.

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On October 6, 1938, the U.S.A., protested Japan's violation of the Open Door policy and later declared Japan's reply to her protest entirely unsatisfactory. On January 4, 1939, President Roosevelt, in a fighting speech, declared that the democracies could not always let pass without protest acts of aggression against sister nations, "which undermine us all." On January 15, 1939, an exhaustive British note supported the earlier American note and emphatically denied Japan's right to economic and political domination in China. On January 18, France sent a similar note to Tokyo.

The Japanese War Minister, Gen. Itagaki's statement on January 31, 1939, in the Japanese Diet, that Japanese forces would remain in Hankow, Kiukiang, Nanking and Wuhu in the Yangtze Valley, and in Amoy and Canton in South China, for a long period of reconstruction, after the war is over, hasn't allayed the suspicions of western democratic nations nor increased their goodwill for Japan.

(TO BE CONTINUED TO-MORROW)

MILITARY SERVICE IN RHODESIA

LONDON, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—The Government of South Rhodesia has decided to make national registration compulsory, with an Act providing for military service without undue dislocation of industries.

JAPAN WOULD LIKE TO END HOSTILITIES

INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE: NO DIRECT NEGOTIATIONS

CHUNGKING, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—There cannot be any direct peace negotiations between Japan and China, and therefore only an international conference on the Far East, in the nature of a second Washington conference, would be likely to produce a settlement of the present Sino-Japanese conflict.

This fact was stressed by Chinese official circles here, who yesterday gave "Reuter" a summary of the military, political, economic, and social aspects of the present situation, affecting the Chinese Government.

These circles believe that Japan would like to terminate the present hostilities, but she would insist on victor's terms, which China, they declare, will never accept.

Similarly they argue that no terms presented by China would be acceptable to Japan.

Therefore, it is predicted that Japan will "make one more big military push, and will then be prepared to discuss peace, believing that thus she can obtain better terms."

JAPANESE WITHDRAWING

According to information obtained from reliable Chinese sources, the Japanese are quietly withdrawing a number of troops from the Yangtse Valley. They are said to be withdrawing troops from Hankow, Kiukiang, Shanghai, Hangchow, and other points. Japanese troops, it is also stated, are being withdrawn from South China.

The outcome of the present hostilities, Chinese circles emphasised, depended largely on future developments in Europe. If war breaks out in Europe, with France and Britain emerging victors, it is most likely that China will take the offensive and will prosecute her own war to a victorious conclusion.

On the other hand, it is felt here that if peace by compromise and concession continues in Europe, international pressure may be brought to bear on both China and Japan to end the war by negotiation.

ASSISTANCE FROM SOVIET

Active assistance from Soviet-Russia to China in the present war had naturally increased the prestige of the U.S.S.R., but intelligent circles, who, after all, ruled China, were firm in their belief that if China hoped to attain lasting peace, and embark on a programme of reconstruction, she must turn to London and Washington.

STRENGTH OF ITALY'S ARMY IN LIBYA

LONDON, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—The numerical strength of Italian troops in Libya, according to information now received from the Italian Government, is between 30,000 and 32,000.

Mr. Neville Chamberlain stated this in the House of Commons at question time yesterday in answer to Mr. Arthur Henderson (Labour).

No answer was given to a Labour supplementary question whether any information had been received "about German troops which have been sent to Libya recently."

Sir Archibald Sinclair (Liberal) asked if the reduction of Italian troops in Libya had been at the rate of 1,000 a week in accordance with the provisions of the Anglo-Italian Agreement.

Mr. Chamberlain: I cannot answer that question without notice.

ITALIAN ASSURANCE

LONDON, Feb. 9 (BWS)—The Prime Minister, asked in the House of Commons by Mr. Arthur Henderson (Labour) whether in view of the terms of the Anglo-Italian Agreement any discussions were yet contemplated between the British Government and the Italian Government as to what constitutes termination of the Spanish Civil War, said that the Anglo-Italian Agreement did not provide for any such discussions.

When he was referred to the statement in the Italian press to the effect that the Italian Government did not propose to withdraw its troops until after political victory in Spain, Mr. Chamberlain said: "Statements of the press do not represent the views of the Government of any country."

Mr. Henderson: Is it the view of His Majesty's Government that the Italian Government have undertaken to withdraw their troops as soon as hostilities cease?

Mr. Chamberlain: Yes.

POLAND'S ATTITUDE STIFFENS

French Friendship Sought

BERLIN, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—What appears to be serious concern at the stiffening of Poland's attitude towards the authoritarian States as a recent of President Roosevelt's recent reported remarks, has led to renewed attacks on him in the Nazi press.

The "Hamburger Fremdenblatt" says that a Cracow journal openly occupies itself with the question of renewal of the old friendship of France and Poland.

The Polish journal, says the "Fremdenblatt," is of the opinion that a great impetus has been given to co-operation between them through President Roosevelt's action.

Both the "Fremdenblatt" and the "National Zeitung" assert that President Roosevelt has revived international tension.

SERIES OF DIPLOMATIC VISITS

WARSAW, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—Poland's position in Central Europe will find expression after a series of visits to Warsaw this spring.

It is stated that Count Ciano, on February 25, will pay a visit to the Polish Foreign Minister, which will be followed, early in March, by a visit of the new Rumanian Foreign Minister, Gefencu, and later by a visit of Count Czacky, the Hungarian Foreign Minister.

The visit of the new Rumanian Foreign Minister, Gefencu, is looked upon as a sign that the Polish-Rumanian Pact is upheld by the new Rumanian Government.

SOVIET-JAPANESE FRICTION

MOSCOW, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—A collision between Soviet border guards and Japanese-Manchukuo troops on the Argun River is reported in an official communique.

The communique says that fifteen Japanese-Manchukuo troops were killed or wounded and one Soviet guard was killed and two wounded.

NEW ZEALAND CRISIS

WELLINGTON, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—Mr. Hamilton, leader of the Opposition in the New Zealand Parliament, has written to the Prime Minister requesting the immediate summoning of Parliament. The reason given is what Mr. Hamilton described as the financial and economic crisis facing the country. The question of national defences will also be discussed.

JAPANESE BAN ON PEARL RIVER SHIPPING

Hongkong Representations To British Government

LONDON, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—Representations from the British Chamber of Commerce in Hongkong, inviting the British Government's attitude towards the continued closing of the Pearl River by the Japanese, have been receiving the Government's urgent consideration.

A communication will be shortly addressed to the Hongkong Chamber by the British Government, through appropriate channels.

This information was given in the House of Commons to-day by Mr. R. A. Butler, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, in a reply to Sir J. S. Wardlaw-Milne.

Mr. Butler disclosed that the Hongkong representations had been transmitted through the British Consul-General in Canton, Mr. A. P. Blunt.

ALL POSSIBLE STEPS TO BE TAKEN

The British Government, said Mr. Butler, proposed to continue, as at present, to take all possible steps to secure the re-opening of the Pearl River. The river has been closed to foreign shipping since last October, when the Japanese occupied Canton.

Sir J. Wardlaw-Milne asked if it were not the case that if Japan were at war with China it would be quite illegal to close the Pearl River.

Mr. Butler replied that all relevant considerations had to be borne in mind.

Portuguese Broker On Receiving Charge

FAUSTO LEONARD MARCAL, 32, a Portuguese broker, appeared on remand before Mr. R. Edwards at the Central Court yesterday on a charge of receiving stolen property, namely, four boxes of silk, the property of Britannia Silk Store, on January 1, knowing them to have been stolen.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the complainant, Mr. Lokoomal, manager of the Britannia Silk Store.

C. G. Castle, of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., gave evidence stating that a bill of lading came into his possession on November 4, on which was a final endorsement made to the Britannia Silk Store.

Evidence was also given by Leong Tan, assistant godown keeper of Godown No. 50.

Klebr Caudron said that he was the sole agent for the French manufacture of the goods relating to the case and he had been doing business with the complainant firm for a number of years. Witness further stated that the goods in question were ordered by B. K. Murjani from samples submitted, on account of the Britannia Silk Store.

Det.-Sergt. J. S. Headridge gave evidence stating that he went to No. 57, Li Yuen Street West where he discovered the four boxes of silk.

Challaram Ghanshamdas, bookkeeper of the Britannia Silk Store, and Gobind Ram, salesman, also testified after which the hearing was adjourned to 11.45 this morning.

An all-day inter-hong cricket match will be played on the Kowloon Cricket Club ground on Sunday, when a Jardine, Matheson and Co. eleven will oppose a Butterfield and Swire eleven.

JAPANESE HAVE LOST WAR

Mr. Peter Fleming, the author and traveller, said recently, "A good many observers in China will tell you with some degree of possibility that Japan lost the war in China when she failed to negotiate or dictate peace at Nanking."

Mr. Fleming, who was lecturing at the Royal United Service Institution in London, added—"It looks as if the total result of a year's successful and extensive campaign has not been particularly satisfactory from the ultimate point of view of the Japanese."

Regarding air warfare, Mr. Fleming said—"Although I saw a good deal of bombing I never once saw the Japanese hit anything at which they were aiming."

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31 Entries Received For Annual Kowloon Marathon Race

Macdonald, Brown Likely Principal Contenders

THIRTY-ONE ENTRIES HAVE BEEN RECEIVED for the eighteenth annual Kowloon Marathon Race to be run on Tuesday, February 14. The Race, which is organized by St. Andrew's Club, is open to all Europeans in the Colony, and will be run over a course of about six and a quarter miles.

Twenty entries have been received from the Middlesex Regiment, five from the Royal Scots, five from H.M. Ships, and one from the Royal Air Force. Late entries are expected from the Royal Air Force. Late entries are expected from the cruiser squadron which arrives to-day, H.M.S. Suffolk having provided the first and second man home in last year's race.

Principal contenders for first place this year, judging from the entries already received, should be Macdonald, of the Royal Scots, who was third last year, and, C. Brown, of H.M.S. Grampus, winner of the 10,000 metres race at the Caroline Hill Athletic Meet last December in the good time of under 37 minutes.

D. S. Blake, the only civilian entry last year, will not compete on Tuesday.

The prizes for the first three men to finish are being presented by Sir Vandeleur Grayburn, Mr. Ezra Abraham, and Mr. Hall. Mr. J. P. Robinson will be the starter. The judges will be Lt. Col. Smith, Lt.-Cmdr. Hulbert, Rev. J. R. Higgs, Mr. E. F. Fincher and Mr. H. Kew.

Z.B.W. DEBATE

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come in for a lot of criticism, which would prove that the programmes were therefore "alive and active."

Touched upon by the opposition, also in summing-up, was the "sensitiveness" of the Hongkong public, who were people "out of their environment" and therefore "sensitive people to deal with."

The opposition argued that the speakers for the motion could not suggest an annual expenditure by Z.B.W. of £3,000 or £4,000, income being some 11,000 times $12 annually. Cited as a fine piece of work was the recent Z.B.W. treatment of the launching of the "Breconshire."

Lauded was Z.B.W.'s ability to manipulate local amateur talent in a way that did not lead them in conflict with entertainment of the gramaphone record variety.

CANTONESE LESSONS

Speakers for the motion were insistent on the point that the house was considering the adequacy of the programmes to popular taste. A plea was heard from the floor for Cantonese lessons over Z.B.W.

Commented upon was Z.B.W.'s insufficient interest in "things of Hongkong, both Chinese and foreign." The Rev. H. D. Rosenthall spoke of "a not strong enough local feeling."

The speakers for the motion argued that if Z.B.W. were not faced with an easy task, they were faced with an important task.

Mention was finally made of the lack of a rival station in the Colony to Z.B.W., and of the consequent belief that Z.B.W. was, therefore, the more responsible to the Hongkong public for the adequacy of its programmes.

HOME FOOTBALL RESULTS

LONDON, February 8 (Reuter)—Several matches were played in English Football League to-day, the results being as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION
Brentford 2, Aston Villa 4.

SECOND DIVISION
Notts Forest 0, Southampton 2.

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)
Brighton 3, Southend 0.

SCOTTISH CUP
(2nd Round Replay)
Buckie Thistle 4, Blairgowrie 1.
Clyde 1, Dundee 0.

THIRD ROUND DRAW

The following is the draw of the Third Round to be played on February 18:—

Buckie Thistle v. Third Lanark.
Rangers v. Clyde.
Dunfermline v. Alloa.
Motherwell v. St. Mirren.
Hearts v. Celtic.
Falkirk v. Aberdeen.
Hibernian and Queen O'South receive byes into fourth round.

RUGBY LEAGUE GAMES

LONDON, Feb 8. (Reuter)—The following matches were played to-day:—

Rugby League: Wigan 8, Swinton 6.

Rugby League Cup (1st Round): Bradford Northern 37, Seaton 7; Broughton Rangers 5, Wakefield Trinity 5; and Liverpool Stanley 2, St. Helens Rec. 2.

BRITAIN LOSES ICE HOCKEY TITLE

ZURICH, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—In the World and European Ice Hockey Championships, Great Britain (holders of the European title) were eliminated yesterday when they were beaten by Canada 4-0 and by Germany 1-0 in the semi-final pool.

RACING MOTORIST'S DEATH

INDIANAPOLIS, INDIANA, Feb. 8. (Reuter)—William Cummings, one of America's leading racing motorists and a former winner of the Indianapolis Grand Prix, died in hospital with a fractured skull to-day, two days after a private car crash.

He never recovered consciousness. He was only 30 years of age.

Birthday Of Ex-Kaiser

Fifty princes and princesses attended recently the Doorn House banquet in honour of ex-Kaiser Wilhelm, who was eighty years old.

The banqueting hall presented a magnificent scene, reminiscent of the former glories of the House of Hohenzollern, as the ex-Kaiser, in the white uniform of his former regiment of Life Guards, took his place at the head of the table.

King George VI. was among the European monarchs who telegraphed birthday congratulations.

GUERILLA'S ACTIVE NEAR CANTON

More Japanese Troops In City

(From Our Own Correspondent)

CHUNGSHAN, Feb. 9—Japanese troops who made an incursion in the northern parts of Po On county north of Shum Chun were repelled by the troops of the 12th Army Group. The Japanese contingent commander was rebuked for leading his men so close to Hongkong territory.

More Japanese troops are being sent to the Canton area in view of the guerilla activities near the city. Some troops proceeded by transports up the Whampoa.

Meanwhile the Japanese in Canton are making efforts to revive the prosperity of the former metropolis in every possible way. Several Sukiyaki restaurants have been opened catering for Japanese merchants and soldiers, but business is not good enough. Chinese do not like Japanese cooking, while many are too poor to indulge in such food.

MORE FAN-TAN HOUSES

With the approach of the Chinese New Year, the Japanese have encouraged the opening of more fan-tan houses and other gambling joints to cater for the holiday crowd. However, business will be bad owing to the fact that those who went back to Canton are poor people and workless. Under present conditions, the well-to-do are unable to make a living in the City of Rams.

One reason for the business uncertainty there is due to the demand of the Japanese military to circulate army notes, which are not backed by any silver reserve. Shopkeepers are required not only to accept this paper money, but to give change in Chinese currency. Hence prices have risen considerably.

Those who receive army scripts or notes find it difficult to dispose of them, for the general public is not willing to take such paper money from Chinese. Chinese residents who are obliged to remain behind are hoping that Chinese troops would soon counter attack and recapture Canton.

There are more people in Canton now than in the early days of Japanese occupation, but those in the refugee camps refuse to leave them

ADMIRAL KANJI KATO DEAD

TOKYO, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—The former chief of the Japanese Naval Staff and Commander-in-Chief of the entire fleet, Admiral Kanji Kato, died here to-day. The deceased, who was born in 1881, rose to prominence after the Great War and in later years he attracted attention by his opposition to Japan's participation in the London Naval Conference of 1929.

FRENCH WARSHIPS COLLIDE

PARIS, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—Three French sailors killed, fourteen seriously injured, some slightly injured and nine missing, is the toll of a collision in the Atlantic between the French cruiser, "Georges Leygues," and the torpedo-boat-destroyer, "Bison," which occurred during manoeuvres.

GOLDEN SWORD AS SYMBOL OF FRIENDSHIP

CAIRO, Feb. 9 (T/Ocean)—The Saudi Arabian King Ibn Saud has presented the Egyptian, Prince Mohammed Ali, the cousin of King Farouk of Egypt, with the golden sword, symbolizing the close and friendly relationship between Suadi Arabia and Egypt.

U.S. HOSPITALITY PRAISED

CHERBUORG, France. — Leni Riefenstahl, the German actress popularly known as "Hitler's girl friend," arrived from New York recently and praised American hospitality "with the exception of the Hollywood cinema industry directed by Jews or members of anti-German leagues, where she was given a hostile reception."

Colonial Matters Under Discussion In Commons

NO STATEMENT ON OBJECTS OF GERMAN SCIENTIFIC EXPEDITION

LONDON, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—Colonial matters, with particular reference to Tanganyika figure in a series of questions in the House of Commons this afternoon.

Asked about the objects of the German scientists and experts who have left Germany for an eight months' expedition to East Africa, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald said that he could add nothing to the statements which have appeared in the press.

The Governors of Kenya and Tanganyika have been informed of the visit, but no special facilities have been granted. The Governors of the territories are fully aware of the necessity of ensuring that there shall be no undesirable propaganda.

Mr. MacDonald said that he was not prepared to encourage the emigration of German settlers from Tanganyika, and to facilitate settlement upon land thus vacated of Jewish refugees with a view to securing a more loyal population in these areas, as well as contributing to a solution of the refugee problem.

Mr. MacDonald revealed that the Governor of Tanganyika had already submitted a preliminary report on the possibility of Jewish settlement in that territory.

FRIENDLY BILLIARDS MATCH AT CLUB LUSITANO

A friendly billiards match between sides representing Shell and Socony Oils was played at the Club Lusitano on Wednesday night, resulting in a narrow win for the latter. Scores follows:

SHELL:—M. M. Silva 14, J. C. Remedios 72, F. M. Ozorio 100, A. J. M. Rodrigues (Jr.) 100, J. V. Pereira 100, J. J. Remedios 94, T. Lindars 51, Cheung Yew Pui 100, F. V. Ribeiro 100, and L. G. Pinna 70. Total: 801.

SOCONY:—A. J. Osmund 100, A. E. Osmund 100, D. A. Alonco 49, P. N. Sequeira 81, A. A. Lopes 53, A. V. Gosano 100, J. W. Mayhew 100, Yeung Shuk Ping 73, C. A. Marques 57, and E. A. Figuereido 100. Total: 813.

NATIONAL SERVICE IN SWEDEN

STOCKHOLM, Feb. 9 (Reuter)—A Bill providing for national service by all citizens in time of war, is now being examined by the Swedish Government.

The Prime Minister revealed this in the House of Parliament yesterday.

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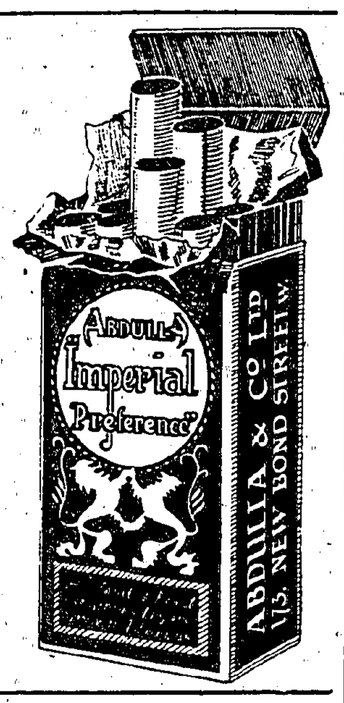

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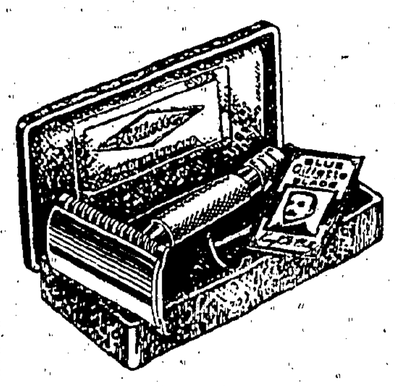

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NEWS ABOUT THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

COMPLETION OF THE GLOUCESTER

The new cruiser Gloucester has been commissioned with a Devonport crew for service as flagship of Vice-Admiral J. F. Somerville, C.B., D.S.O., Commander-in-Chief in the East Indies, in succession to the Norfolk, and will probably leave for her station in mid-March. Captain F. R. Garside, late Assistant Director of Plans, assumed command of the Gloucester on January 3.

Although authorized in the 1935 construction programme, the keel of the Gloucester was not laid till September 22, 1936, at Devonport Dockyard, and she has therefore been completed in two years and four months, a shorter time than her two sister-ships of the same programme which were built by contract.

PAYMASTER CAPTAIN RETIRED

Paymaster Captain F. L. Horsey, C.B., O.B.E., D.S.C., Director of the Accountant Officers' Technical Course at Portsmouth, has been placed on the retired list on attaining the age limit of 55.

SERVICE SPORT

The R.N. and R.M. inter-port and officers' boxing championships will be held at Portsmouth on March 28 and 29, in the week preceding the Imperial Services Boxing Association championships.

The inter-port cross-country championships will be held at Portsmouth on April 19, and the inter-Services cross-country championships, also at Portsmouth, on April 26.

Applications by members of the R.N. and R.M. Lawn Tennis Association for tickets for the lawn tennis championships at Wimbledon between June 26 and July 7 must reach the honorary secretary of the Sports Control Board, 58, Victoria Street, S.W.1, by March 14. Individual applications are limited to two half-books. Should the demand exceed the supply, allocation will be decided by ballot.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments have been made by the Admiralty:—

Capts.—A. U. Willis, to Warspite, as Cdre., 1st Cl. (Feb. 2), and as Chief of Staff to Cdr.-in-Chief, Mediterranean Fleet (Feb. 6); H. T. C. Walker, to Barham (Jan. 31), and to Barham, in command, and as Flag Capt. and Chief Staff Officer to V/A Commanding First Battle Squadron (undated).

Capt. (E).—G. H. H. Brown, to Victory, for courses (Jan. 25).

Cdr.—V. N. Surtees, appt. to Medway cancelled.

Chaplain.—The Rev. T. H. Horsfield, appt. to Pembroke, for R.N.B., cancelled

Lt.-Cdrs.—J. W. Unwin, to Drake, (Jan. 31); E. H. Dyke, to Amazon, in command (Feb. 14).

Lts.—R. G. Woodward, to Adventure, R. N. Hankey, to Vanquisher (Jan. 26); E. Ingram, to Revenge (Jan. 25); R. C. Sewell, lent to N.Z. Div. (Jan. 27), and appt. to Achilles (on recommg.); J. C. C. Henley, to Birmingham (Jan. 30); R. H. Fanshawe, to Amazon (Feb. 14).

Lt. (E).—J. H. Gilbert, to Victory, for R.A.F. Schl., Cosford (Jan. 31).

Sub-Lts.—M. F. R. Ainslie, to H 32 (Jan. 28); R. L. S. Morris, to H 33 (Feb. 10); G. W. Tweed (proby.), J. O'B Graham (proby.), to Nelson (Jan. 16).

Sub-Lts. (A).—G. M. C. Wheeler (act.), J. J. Hoath (act.), to Victory, for course (Jan. 30); D. C. Garton-Stone, to Glorious (Feb. 10).

Schoolmaster.—F. H. I. Quarrie, to St. Angelo, for Dockyard Sch., Malta (Jan. 26).

PROMOTIONS

Cd. Gunner.—L. E. Roberts, to rank of Lt. (seny. Dec. 10).

Cd. Wardmaster.—W. T. J. Crick, to rank of Wardmaster Lt. (seny. Jan. 28).

Wt. Wardmaster.—L. F. Gibbons, to rank of Cd. Wardmaster (seny. Jan. 26).

RETIREMENT

Wardmaster Lt.—A. E. Burch, placed on the Retd. List (Jan. 26).

THE ARMY

EXAMINATION RESULTS

The results are announced of the examination (in written subjects) of officers with a view to promotion in the Regular Army, Royal Marines, Territorial Army, and Indian Army, which was held at home stations in October last. In all 156 candidates were successful, including two majors, 54 captains, and 100 lieutenants.

The successful candidates were as follows:—

R. Artillery and R. Horse Artillery.—Capts. D. Campbell, C. H. Colquhoun, J. C. Smith, and R. Biddulph, R.A.; Lieut. G. C. Graham, R.H.A.; Lieuts. G. S. Cole, T. W. Gracey, and A. G. Hawkins, R.A.; Lieuts. C. G. Buttenshaw, B. Wilson, P. R. Gold, and W. R. Holman, R.H.A.; Lieuts. E. W. Scohce, J. H. Branford, I. R. Graeme, B. N. L. Ditmas, R. McCaig, M. J. F. Carfrae, C. D. Newington, G. J. E. Lomas, E. D. Rea, J. P. May, and H. B. B. Bartram R.A.

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R. Corps of Signals.—Capt. H. C. B. Rogers, Lieuts. A. J. E. Johnson, R. G. Miller, and D. R. Yearsley.

R. Scots.—Capt. T. R. Henderson.

Middlesex Regt.—Lieut. W. P. M. Allen.

R. Army Service Corps.—Capts. F. A. Shaw, R. H. Daunt, G. R. C. Barnett; Lieuts. A. Macdonald, D. A. Findlay, C. G. Waldock, K. W. McQueen, and J. H. Jolliffe.

R. Army Medical Corps.—Major L. R. H. Keatinge; Capts. G. F. Harrison, S. W. K. Arundell, D. P. F. Mulvany, I. H. C. Morton, and A. D. Low.

R. Army Ordnance Corps.—Capts. C. W. Phillpotts, C. W. Barker, H. de J. Keays, and H. S. Baker.

ROYAL AIR FORCE

DIGBY STATION COMMAND

Wing Commander John B. H. Rogers, promoted last November, has assumed command of the air station at Digby in succession to Wing Commander C. Crawford. Squadron Leader H. L. Rough, D.F.C., who was appointed in October as administrative squadron leader, took over command temporarily during the period between the departure of Wing Commander Crawford and the arrival of the new C.O.

NO. 75 SQUADRON COMMAND

Wing Commander D. D'Arcy A. Greig, D.F.C., A.F.C., late chief flying instructor at the Central Flying School, has succeeded Wing Commander K. E. Ward in command of No. 75 (Bomber) Squadron at Honington, Suffolk, on the latter's appointment to command No. 5 Apprentices Wing at Halton.

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12.30 p.m. Moreton and Kaye (Two Pianos) and Mario de Pietro (Banjo).

Midnight In Mayfair (Newell Chase); Four Hands On A Piano (Moreton-Kaye)—Ivor Moreton & Dave Kaye on two Pianos with drums. Mazur (Borowski); Keyboard Kapers (Steele)—Mario De Pietro (Banjo). Tin Pan Alley Medley—Ivor Moreton and Dave Kaye on two Pianos with string bass and drums. The Moon Of Manakoora—Waltz (film 'The Hurricane'); Cuore Vagabondo—Tango—Maria De Pietro and His Estudiantina with Vocal Refrain. Quickstep Medley—Ivor Moreton & Dave Kaye on two Pianos with string bass and drums.

1.00 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) and The Massed Bands.

March Of The King's Men (Plater); Song Of The Marines (arr. Mackenzie)—Grand Massed Brass Bands at the Leicester Brass Bands Festival 1938, cond. by C. A. Anderson, Leicester. The Winding Road (Araby and Andrew); The Man In The Street (Longstaffe)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra. Grand March 'Le Prophete" (Meyerbeer, arr. Reynolds); Sing A Song (Iles)—Massed Bands cond. by J. Henry Iles at the National Band Festival, Crystal Palace, September, 1935. Waiata Poi (Hill); Waltzing Matilda (Cowan, arr. Wood)—Peter Dawson (Bass-Baritone) with Orchestra and Chorus. Hipp, Hipp, Hurrah!—March (Kunoth)—Massed Military Bands.

1.30 p.m. Reuter & Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Marek Weber & His Orchestra with Marta Eggerth (Soprano).

Drinking Song (Schumann)—Marek Weber & His Orchestra and Male Quartet. Before I Found You (film 'Love's Melody'); Was It Your Smile (Stollberg)—Marta Eggerth (Soprano) with Orchestra. (Sung in German). Spring's De-light—March-Intermezzo (Allbout); Deutschmeister Regimental March (Jurek)—Marek Weber and His Orchestra. Always, When I Am Happy (Grothe-Marischka); Manola (film 'Always, when I am Happy')—Marta Eggerth (Soprano) with Orchestra. (Sung in German). Spring Song (Mendelssohn); Simple Aveu (Thomé)—Marek Weber and His Orchestra.

2.15 p.m. Close down.

6.00 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Grill Room of the Hongkong Hotel.

(a) September in the Rain, (b) Take another guess, (c) Where the lazy river goes, (d) Swing high, Swing low. by, 6.14 p.m. Record: On Top Of A Bus (Carr-Arden); We Agree Perfectly (David-Coots)—Len Bermon (Vocal) with Orchestra and Step-Dancing by Len Bermon. 6.21 p.m. (a) At Your

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4.15—Chamber Music of Brahms—The Stratton String Quartet (DI).
4.55—"Number 17." Play by J. Jefferson Farjeon (DI).
5.15—The BBC Theatre Organ (DI).
5.50—News (DI)
6.45—Fredric Bayco, at Organ of Dominion Theatre (D2).
7.15—"Scrapbook for 1909." Memories and melodies thirty years ago (D2).
8.15—Dance Music by Billy Thorburn and his Band (D2).
9.00—Food for Thought." (D2).
9.30—News (D2).
10.00—"Calling the Tune." (D3).
10.30—Recital by Philip Hillier, violinist (D3).
10.45—Band of the Royal Tank Corps (D3).
11.30—Students' songs and Sailor songs by the BBC Men's Chorus (D3).
12.00—News (D3)
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NEW YEAR RESOLUTIONS FOR MOTORISTS

The following "Do's and Don'ts," which should be read in conjunction with the Highway Code are commended to motorists as fitting "New Year Resolutions" by the Automobile Association.

DO, particularly in populous areas, keep in your line of traffic.

DO anticipate that the vehicle in front may suddenly pull up, either due to a mechanical defect, approach to a pedestrian crossing, traffic light or controlled point.

DON'T be so near to the vehicle ahead that you have to pull up suddenly, thus running the risk of the vehicle behind running into you.

DON'T leave your vehicle on the carriage way or in a garage in a position where it may be bumped into by another road user.

DON'T attempt to correct faults in other road users—that is a matter for the Police

DO, if another road user looks at or speaks crossly to you, refrain from feeling resentment but ask yourself what was the cause.

DO drive always with that courtesy which everyone hopes and expects to receive from others.

DO keep your vehicle under such control that when an emergency arises you have room in which to manoeuvre.

DON'T attempt to make up time under unfavourable conditions.

DON'T park on the offside of the carriage way, especially after dark.

DON'T use the horn unnecessarily, or show impatience when held up in traffic.

DO observe pedestrian crossings and be prepared to pull up at traffic signals.

DON'T pull out without first making sure that it is safe to do so.

DON'T open the offside door before seeing that the road is clear.

DO allow ample room when overtaking, especially when overtaking cyclists.

DON'T take risks.

DON'T be irritable or show irritation.

DO give signals at the right time.

DON'T allow "get away" to prevent you from giving way.

RADIO PROGRAMME

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beck and call, (b) When Pa was courtin' Ma, (c) Meet the beat of my Heart, (d) Pied Piper of Hamelin Town. 6.35 p.m. Records. Ninette (Maud); A Japanese Sunset (Deppon)—R. E. McPherson playing on the Organ of New Empire Cinema, London, with Violin, Stay Close To Me—Waltz (film 'Mazurka')—Fred Stein (Piano). 6.44 p.m. (a) I can't escape from you, (b) Swinganola, (c) Basin Street Blues, (d) Embassy Stomp.

7.00 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations

7.02 p.m. Todd Duncan, Josephine Baker and Cab Calloway & His Orchestra.

Chinese Rhythm — Fox-Trot; Weakness—Fox-Trot — Cay Calloway and His Orchestra with Vocal Chorus by Cab Calloway. River God (from 'The Sun Never Sets')—Cole Porter); Drums (from 'The Sun Never Sets'—Todd Duncan (Vocal) with The Drury Lane Theatre Orchestra cond. by Charles Prentice. Copper Coloured Gal—Fox-Trot—Cab Calloway and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain. Suppose! (Dixon and Dimon); Pretty Little Baby (Baker and Bernie)—Josephine Baker (Vocal) with Orchestra. Nagasaki — Fox-Trot; I Ain't Got Nobody—Fox-Trot—Cab Calloway and His Orchestra with Vocal Refrain.

7.30 p.m. Otto Dobrindt & His Orchestra.

Sleeping Beauty's Bridal Procession (Max Rhode); In A Clock Store (Chas. J. Orth)—Otto Dobrindt and His Concert Orchestra. Suite De Danse (Kunneke); Intermezzo. Valse Melancolique—Otto Dobrindt and Eugene Wolff Orchestra. Sunny Days—Fox-Trot Intermezzo; Chorus Of The Clocks—Fox-Trot Intermezzo. Strauss-iana! (Borschel); When The Lads Are Off To Dance—Fox-Trot Intermezzo—Otto Dobrindt & His Piano Symphonists.

8.00 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Tchaikowsky — The Swan Lake—Ballet Music, Op. 20.

London Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Antal Dorati.

8.35 p.m. Studio—Piano Recital by Nura Kanis.

1. Sonata in A Major (Mozart): (a) Andante Grazioso, (b) Menuetto and Trio, (c) Alla Turca. 2. Capriccio, Op. 76, No. 2 (Brahms).

8.55 p.m. Next week's programme.

9.00 p.m. London Relay—'Food for Thought.'

Three short talks on matters of topical interest.

9.20 p.m. Natan Milstein (Violin).

La Campanella (Rondo from 'Concerto No. 2 in B Minor'—Paganni, Op. 7—arr. Kreisler); Nocturne In C Sharp Minor (Posthumous — Chopin-trans. Milstein)—with Leopold Mittmann at the Piano.

9.30 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. B.B.C. Recording—A Light Variety Programme.

Those taking part are Clapham and Dwyer; Harley and Baker; Janet Joye; Helmar Fernback; The Hill Billies and Tony's Red Aces.

10.30 p.m. Len Green at the Piano.

Melodies Of The Month, No. 15. Intro: These foolish things; Would you?; Poor little Angeline; The glory of love; Lovely lady; Melody from the sky. Melodies Of The Month, No. 20. Intro: Take my heart; South Sea Island Magic; There isn't any limit to my love.

10.40 p.m. Debroy Somers and His Band.

Irving Berlin Waltz Songs—Medley—with Vocal Chorus by Dan Donovan. Memories Of Horatio Nicholls—with Vocal Chorus.

11.00 p.m. Close down.

NO POGROM INSURANCE CLAIMS

Inquiries in the English insurance market have failed to reveal any claims made on insurers for damage done to Jewish property in Germany during the anti-Jewish riots of November, states a London writer.

The amount of original insurance on property in Germany placed in the English market is small and only a fractional part of this includes the risk of damage due to riots or civil commotion. There is a considerable bulk of re-insurance placed by German insurers with English underwriters, but here again the riot risk is only included in a fractional part of the business.

If the German insurance companies claimed on their English re-insurers, the latter would certainly refuse to settle because there is neither legal nor moral obligation on a reinsurer to pay his reassured for any claims which do not properly attach to the original insurance.

WINDSOR LAD VERY ILL

LONON, January 30. — The condition of Windsor Lad, who won the Derby and St. Leger of 1934, is stated by his owner, Mr. Martin Benson, to be critical.

Mr. Benson, who paid £50,000 for Windsor Lad as a stallion, says the horse is bearing his illness with wonderful courage. But he fears that he will have to be destroyed.

Windsor Lad now, eight years old, has been ill since last September and is believed to have a tumour on the brain.

NO ACCORD STILL REACHED

Split Between Arab Parties

LONDON, Feb. 8 (Reuter)—Up till a late hour this afternoon no agreement was reached between the Mufti and the Nashashibi parties regarding representation at the Palestine conference.

A meeting arranged for 4 o'clock between Mr. Malcolm MacDonald and other Arabs, did not take place.

It is understood, however, that efforts to effects a rapprochement will continue.

Nashashibi declared at a meeting with Mr. MacDonald in the evening that "Arab differences were not due to doctrine, or were differences of policy, but personal feuds which have long been a disruptive force in Arab life."

This does not make Mr. MacDonald's mediatory mission less difficult.

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SINGAPORE'S YOUNGEST SAILING CLUB INTRODUCES NEW DESIGN

Youngest sailing club in Singapore, if not in Malaya, the Ponggol Sailing Club is the first to introduce a new design into sailing craft. For as little as $3 a month, one can become a member of the club and avail oneself of its amenities, but the founders are particularly anxious to have 'sailing' and not 'bar' members

Inaugurated just a few months ago, the Ponggol Sailing Club is already showing marked progress. At its annual general meeting held recently, it was disclosed that already the Club had shown a profit over the past few months' "working," and strong foundations have been laid for big future developments.

YEARLY REGATTAS

Annual regattas will be held, and the Club hopes to be able to vie on friendly terms with sailing clubs in the neighbourhood—those run by the Services at Seletar and by the Air Force.

Chief object of the Club is to foster sailing, and consequently one of the necessary qualifications for membership is the ownership of a boat or the minimum of one-third interest.

The bungalow occupied by the Club is an extremely attractive one, tastefully furnished; there are a lounge, fully-licensed bar, reading room and, in fact, all the amenities which make for the comfort and recreation of members.

Ideally situated, the Club offers perhaps better facilities for sailing than anywhere else. Sailing can be done by members in a "sheltered" area, free from squalls, so that the sea is never really rough. At the moment, the Club possesses a fleet of ten boats of various types and sizes, and many more vessels are either already on order or under consideration.

Col. C. L. Prior, one of the founders of the Club, had much to do with the new design for sailing boats which has been adopted with considerable success by the Ponggol Sailing Club.

BROAD BEAM

Boats of the new design have a very broad beam—7 feet—and are 17½ feet in length. These dimensions ensure plenty of stability and speed. The Club's fleet includes three boats of this design, and several members are considering ordering more of the same type.

Limited to Europeans only, the Club has 23 out of a maximum of 30 members. Constitution of the Club only admits of this number, but this is likely to be altered to permit of more being admitted.

Mr. R. T. O. Lammert, another founder of the Club, has donated an "aggregate" cup to be sailed for by members during the year. Points awarded for sailing will be put on record, and the cup will go to the member with the highest every member an equal chance. aggregate. This will ensure for

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Sterling

There were sellers at 1/2 15/16 first half of February, probably February and 1/2 29/32 March/May, buyers at 1/2 31/32 Cash and 1/2 15/16 March/May.

U.S. Dollars

There were sellers at 29 1/8 February, first half March, 29 1/16 March/April and 29 May, buyers at 29 3/16 Cash, 29 1/8 April, probably March and 29 1/16 May.

Shanghai Dollars

Sellers at 182 1/2, buyers at 182 3/4 for Spot.

Shanghai Market

Opened with sellers at 8.13/64 and closed at noon with sellers at 8.5/32 for Spot. U.S. Dollars, opened with sellers at 15 and closed at noon with sellers at 15. 15/16 for Spot.

AFTERNOON MARKET

The market was quiet in the afternoon.

Sterling

The market closed with sellers at 1/2 15/16 first half of February and 1/2 29/32 March/May, buyers at 1/2 31/32 Cash and 1/2 15/16 March/May.

U.S. Dollars

There were sellers at 29 1/8 February/first half of March, 29 1/16 March/April and 29 May, buyers at 29 3/16 Cash, 29 1/8 March/April and 29 1/16 May.

Shanghai Dollars

182 1/2.

Shanghai Market

Sterling sellers at 8.3/16 for Spot and U.S Dollars sellers at 15.15/16 for Spot.

London Exchange

London, Feb. 8 (BWS).

Closing mean rates were:—
Paris, 176-63/84.
New York, 4.67⅞.
Montreal, 4.70⅞.
Brussels, 27.71½.
Geneva, 20.69½.
Amsterdam, 8.69⅜.
Milan, 89¼.
Berlin, 11.67½.
Prague, 137.
Buenos Aires, 20.37½.
Other rates were unchanged.

Berlin Exchange

Berlin, Feb. 8 (T/Ocean).

The Reichsmark was quoted without guarantee at:—New York 40.14, Paris 1517, Amsterdam 74.35 to 74.45, London 11.67¼.

Paris Exchange

Paris, Feb. 8 (T/Ocean).

Sterling was quoted at 176.31/32; U.S. Dollar at 37.76½ to 37.77½.

New York Exchange

New York, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

T.T. on London (Opening Rate). 4 68-5/8.

Calcutta Exchange

Calcutta, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

T.T. on Japan, 78-5/8.

India Rupee Paper

Bombay, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

Govt. 3½ Rupee, 97-02-0.

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON SILVER

London, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

Silver—Market quiet and featureless. In the afternoon, the market was steady, but idle.

Spot, 20-1/8d.
Forward, 19-3/4d.

NEW YORK SILVER

New York, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

Official Price, 42-3/4.

BOMBAY SILVER

Bombay, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

Market—Quiet. Offtake 30 bars

Indian Mint Silver

Ready	52-07	52-06
Feb. 14 Settlement	52-06	52-06
Mar. 17 Settlement	52-02	52-03

Unofficial Quotations

Ready	52-06
Feb 14 Settlement	52-06
Mar. 17 Settlement	52-03

Market—Quiet.

RESERVE BANK OF INDIA STATEMENT

Calcutta, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

	Jan. 27	Feb. 3
Notes in circulation (including Notes held in the Banking Department)	20,324	20,308
Rupee Coin and Bullion in India	6,968	6,953
Gold Coin and Bullion in India	4,154	4,154
Securities (Indian Government)	3,230	3,230
Securities (British Government)	5,683	5,683

(Figures in lakhs of Rupees)

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATION

FEBRUARY 9, 1939

STOCKS	Last Sale Feb. 8
Adams Express	9½
Alleghany Steel Co.	22⅜
Allis Chalmers	42½
Amerada Corps.	63¼
Amer. Can	94½
Amer. & Foreign Power	3⅛*
Ameri & Foreign $7 pf.	17⅜*
Amer. Locomotive	25
Amer. Metals Co.	35½
Amer. Radiator	15⅜
Amer. Rolling Mill	18⅜
Amer. S'ting and R'ing Co.	45
Amer. Sugar R'ing	19½*
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	157⅜
Amer. Tobacco "B"	88½
Amer. Waterworks	13¼
Anaconda Copper	29½
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	35⅜
Auburn Motors	3⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	6⅜
Barber Asphalt Co	17½*
Barnsdall Oil	16½
Bethlehem Steel	69
Boeing Airplane Co.	29½
Borg-Warner	27½
Biggs M'facturing	25½
Brooklyn-M'hattan Trans.	11½
B'klyn-M'hattan $6 cum pf.	37½
Canadian Pacific R'way.	5⅜
Case, J.I.	84 *
Celanese	19⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	35½
Chrysler Corpn.	76⅜
Columbia Gas & El.	8⅜
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	86½
Commercial	52⅜
Commonwealth & S. (ord.)	2
C'wealth & S. 6% cum pf.	62
Consolidated Edison	33⅞
Consolidated Oil	8½
Continental Can	39
Continental Oil	27
Corn Products	64⅜
Curtiss Wright (C.)	7
Curtiss Wright "A"	26⅞
Distillers Corpn. Seagrams	18½
Douglas Aircraft	70⅞
Du Pont de Nemours	148⅜
Eagle Picher Lead	11⅜
Elec. Bond & Share	11⅞
Elec. Bond & Share $5 pf.	62½
Elec. Bond & Share $6 pf.	70½
Elec. Power & Light $7 pf.	39
Flintkote	27
Gen. American Trans.	55½
Gen. Electric	41½
Gen. Motors	48½
Gen. Railway Signal	22⅜
Glidden Co.	20½
Goodrich (B.F.)	21½
Goodrich $5 pf.	58 *
Goodyear Tire & Co.	32⅜
Great Northern Iron Ore	14⅜
Great Northern Rly. pfd.	25
Great Western Sugar	24⅞
Greyhound Corpn.	17⅜
Hecker Products	11⅜
Homestake Mining	63
Int. Nickel	52

STOCKS	Last Sale Feb. 8
Int. Tel. & Tel.	9½
John's Manville	96
Kennecott Copper	37
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	47½
Lockheed Aircraft	30⅜
Loew's Inc.	49
Martin, Glen L.	35⅜
Monsanto Chemical	99⅜*
Montgomery Ward	49⅜
Nat. Dairy Products	13⅜
Nat. Distillers	26
National Gypsum	14
National Load	24
Nat. Power & Light	8½
Nat. Supply Corpn.	13
New York Central	18⅞
N. American Aviation	18⅜
North American Co.	25½
Northern Pacific	11⅜
Pacific Gas & Elec.	29½
Pacific Lighting	44½
Packard Motors	4⅛
Paramount Pictures	10⅜
Pennsylvania R.R.	20½
Phelps-Dodge	39⅜
Phillips Petroleum	39½
Public Service of N.J.	35⅜
Pullman Inc.	34½
Pure Oil	9⅛
Radio Corpn. of Am.	7⅛
Republic Steel	21⅛
Reynold Tobac. "B"	40½
Schenley Distillers	15⅜
Schenley 5½% pfd.	69
Sears Roebuck	71½
Shell Union Oil	13½
Socony-Vacuum Oil	12⅞
Southern Pacific	17½
Southern Rly $5 pfd.	27½
Sperry	45⅛
Standard Brands	7
Stand Gas & Elec.	3⅜
Standard Oil of N.J.	49⅜
Stone & Webster	15½
Swift International	27½
Technicolor	19½
Texas Corpn.	44½
Texas Gulf Sulphur	30⅜
Trans-America Co.	8½
20th Cent. Fox.	22½
20th Cent. Fox. $1½ pf.	32½
Union Carbide & Carbon	83⅛
Union Pacific	95⅞
United Aircraft	38⅝
United Airlines Trans.	10⅜
United Corpn.	3½
United Corpn. $3 cum pf.	36⅜
United Gas Corpn.	3
United Gas Improvement	12⅞
U.S. Rubber	44½
U.S. Rubber $8 pfd.	100½
U.S. Steel	60½
Vanadium	25⅜
Warner Bros. Pict.	5½
Westinghouse Elec.	112
Woodward Iron Cor.	21⅞
Chase National Bank	31
National City Bank	24½

*—bid. ‡—ex. div.

DOW JONES AVERAGE

1938 & 1939 High	Low	Dow Jones Averages,	Feb. 7.	Feb. 9, 1939. High	Low	Close	Change
158.41	91.95	30 Industrials	144.10	145.55	144.45	145.43	1.23 up
34.53	19.00	20 Rails	29.94	30.39	30.01	30.36	.42 up
25.52	15.14	20 Utilities	24.92	25.35	24.93	25.29	.37 up
92.70	83.39	40 Bonds	90.39			90.37	.02 off
69.00	45.03	11 Commodity Index	47.11			47.32	.21 up

Business Done:—610,000 shares

HONGKONG SHARE QUOTATIONS

STOCK EXCHANGE — SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

THURSDAY 9. FEB.

Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal		Buyers	Sellers	Sales	Nominal
				Banks				
$1390	$1412½	$1396	C.D.	H.K. Banks	...	...	C.D.	$1410
...	...	...	...	Do. (Col. Reg.)	...	...	X.D.	$83½
...	ex div.	...	£9¼	Do. (Lon. Reg.)	...	...	X.D.	£9½
...		...	£9⅛	Chartered Banks	...	...		£9⅜
...		...	£27⅛	Mercantile Bks. "A"	...	...		£27⅛
		...	£13	Mercantile Bks. "C"		...	...	£13
			$35	Bank of East Asia	$35	...		
				N. C. & S. Banks		...		$2
				Insurances				
$210	$290	...	...	Canton Insurances	...	...		$210
$463½	...	...	...	Union Insurances	$.60	...	$.58 63	...
63 cts.	..	58/60 cts.	...	Underwriters	...	...	..	$485
$175	..	...		H.K. Fires	...	...	..	$1.80
				Shipping				
$65	..	...		Douglases	...	...	..	$61
			$15	Steamboats	...	...	..	$14½
			$60	Indo-Chinas (Pref.)	...	...	..	$56
			$24	Indo-Chinas (Def.)	...	...	..	$24
			$3/1½	Shells	...	...	...	$3/1½
			$9	Waterboats	...	...	...	$9
				Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.				
			$116	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	...	$116
				Providents (old)	$8½	...	$8½	...
				Providents (new)	$8¼	...	..	...
			$17.70	H.K. & W. Docks	$17½	...	...	...
			$16½	Do. (new)	$17	...	...	
			$95½	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$101
			$5.85	New Engineerings S.	...			$8½
				Mining				
			17/6	Kailans	...	...	...	17/6
			$7½	Rauba	...	...	...	$8
			$3	Venezuela Gold Flds	...			$3
			6 cts.	Hong Kong Mines	...			...
				Lands, Hotels and Buildings				
				H.K. Hotels		$7		$36½
				H.K. Lands	S.			$100½
			$107½	[illegible] Estates				
			$8.60	[illegible] Lands	S.			
			$39½	[illegible]				$8.70
			$9[illegible]	[illegible]				$8½
				[illegible] States				
				Rope Mills				
			$16½	Ewo (S.)				$16
			$101	S'hai Cottons (S.)				$98
			$24	Zoong Sings (S.)				$29½
			$42	Wing On Textiles (S.)	$47			
				Public Utilities				
				Tramways	$17.35	$17½		
			$5	Peak Trams (old)				
			$4	Peak Trams (new)				$4
				Star Ferries	72			
				Y'mati Ferries (O)	$23.10			
			$22	Do. (new)	$22.40			
			$8½	China Lights (O)	$8.85	$9		
			$6½	China Lights (New)				$8½
				China Lights Rts.				
			$58½	H.K. Electrics		$58½		
				Macao Electrics				
				Sandakan Lights				
			$17½	Telephones (old)	$ 3½			
			$10	Telephones (new)	$7½			
			$23	Tractions				$2/
			$7½	Tractions (pref.)				
			22/6	**Industrials**				
			23/6	Cald. Macg. (Ord.)	S.			
			$14	Cald. Macg. (Pref.)	S.			
			$13	Canton Ices				$1.60
			$1.70	Cements				$15.95
			$16½	Ropes	$4.15			
				Miscellaneous				
			$23	Dairy Farms				$23
				Ch. E'tainments	$7.05			
			$1½	Constructions (old)				$1½
				Constructions (new)				
			$8	Lane Crawfords				$8
				Nanyang Tobacco				$3½
			$1½	Sinceres	$1.80	$1.90		
			$7.90	Watsons	$7.80			
			68%	Ch. G.5% 1925G $Bds.				68%
			3%pm pax	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans				$104
				H.K. Govt. 3½% Loan				$100
				H.K. Wing On	40			
			$6.80	S'hai Wing On				15½
				Vibro Piling				$6.60
				Marsmans Inv. (Lon.)				
14/6				Marsmans Inv. (H.K.)				
2/6				Wm. Powells				90 cts.
			90 cts.					

*Sales to Shanghai

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

(REUTER'S SERVICE)

London, February 8.

The following quotations are the middle prices at the close of the market in London. All quotations are subject to confirmation and no responsibility is assumed for errors in transmission.

	£
War Loan, 3½% (Red. after 1952)	97⅜
Canton-K'loon Rly. 5%	19½
Chinese 4½% Gold Loan, 1898 (Brit. Issue)	72
Chinese 5% Gold Bonds, 1925-47	68
Chin. 4½% Anglo-French Loan, 1908	52
Chinese 5% Crisp Loan, 1912	34
Chinese 5% Reorg. Loan, 1913 (Ldn. Is.)	50
Chinese 5% Ster. Notes, 1925 (Vickers)	13-1/2
Chin. Imperial Rly. 5% Loan	68
Honan Rly. 5%	22
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911	21
Hukuang Rly. 5%, 1911 (German Issue)	20
Lung Tsing & U. Hai Rly. 5%	13½
S'hai-N'king Rly. 5%	23
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd.)	16
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (German Stpd.)	16
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Brit. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	16
Tientsin-Pukow Rly. 5% (Ger. Stpd. Supl. Loan)	16
Jap. 5% Ster. Loan, 1907	43
Jap. 6% Ster. Loan, 1924	48
Ger. 7% Intl. Loan, 1924	30½
Chartered Bank	9½
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Ldn. Reg.)	81½
H.K. & S'hai Bank (Col. Reg.)	83½
Chinese Eng. & Mining (bearer)	17/6
Chosen Corporation	7
Pekin Syndicate	2*
S'hai Elec. Constr. Co.	25*
S'hai Waterworks "A"	19½*

	£
Union Insurance	30½*
Gula Kalumpong Rubber	19/4½
Allied Ironfounders	18/3
Asso. & Elec. Industries	39/6
Austin Motors, ord.	28
Cable & Wireless, New Form, ord.	42
B.-A. Tob. (bearer)	98/3
Cammell Laird, ord.	8/1½
Mexican Eagle	5/9
Courtaulds	25/6
Distillers	90/3
Dunlop Rubber	24
Gen. Electric (England)	76
Guinness (A) Son & Co.	103
Hawker Siddeley Airc.	22/6
Bristol Aeroplane	22/10½
Imperial Chemical Ind.	31/9
Imperial Tobacco	134/4½
Marks & Sp'cer "A" ord.	56/7½
Rolls Royce	112/6
Leyland Motors	83/1½
Tate & Lyle	60/3
Turner & Newall	76/9
United Steel	24/3
Smethwick Drop Forg.	16
Armstrong Stevens, ord.	7/9
Pressed Steel, com.	15/10½
Vickers, ord.	22/10½
Woolworths	61/4½
Anglo-Dutch	23
Rub. Plant. Invest. Trust	26/3
Burma Corporation	8/7½
Commonwealth Mining	1/4½
Marsman Investments	13/9
Randfontein Estates	38
Western Holdings	10/3
Sub-Nigel	232/6
Tanami Gold Mining	4½d.
Anglo-Iranian	99
Burmah	83/9
Shell Trans. & Trad. (bearer)	83/1½

*—Nominal.

PAYNE & CO.
COMMODITY BROKERS
STOCK EXCHANGE BUILDING
HONG KONG

COMMODITY MARKET REVIEW

(FROM PAYNE & CO.)

New York, February 8.

SINGAPORE RUBBER

	February 7 buyers	February 7 sellers	February 8 buyers	February 8 sellers	change
SPOT	26-7/8	27-1/8	26-1/2	26-3/4	off 3/8
APRIL-JUNE	27-1/4	27-1/2	26-3/4	27	off 1/2
JULY-SEPT.	27-1/2	27-3/4	27	27-1/4	off 1/2

The market opened 3/8 of a cent lower for all deliveries as compared with Tuesday's closing rates.

Responding to quiet conditions prevailing in London and New York the market ruled dull and featureless early in the session, which was accentuated by the fact that demand for "actuals" from London and New York was poor, whilst dealers and speculators were disinclined to operate.

Subsequently the market became easier due to liquidation and speculative selling influenced by apprehensions of a possible increase to 55 per cent. in the permissible export-quota for the second quarter of this year. Prices registered a gradual further decline of 1/4 cent for all deliveries, the market closing with a quiet undertone.

LONDON RUBBER

	Previous close buyers	Previous close sellers	To-day's close buyers	To-day's close sellers	change
SPOT	7-13/16	7-7/8	7-11/16	7-13/16	off 1/8
APRIL-JUNE	7-13/16	7-15/16	7-3/4	7-7/8	off 1/16
JULY-SEPT.	7-7/8	8	7-7/8	7-15/16	unch.
OCT.-DEC.	7-15/16	8-1/16	7-7/8	8	off 1/16

Market easier on some local and Eastern selling.

NEW YORK COTTON

Early in the session, prices moved higher on buying by Liverpool and Wall Street interests. Later, there was some selling by mills of nears, causing prices to recede somewhat. Trading, on the whole, was quiet, with operators awaiting Washington news regarding the release of Loan cotton.

NEW YORK RUBBER

The market, early in the day, was lower in sympathy with unfavourable Overseas' advices. Later, however, prices sharply recovered. The undertone at the close was steady, influenced by improved consumption owing to heavy automobile sales. The trade is still on side-lines, awaiting the meeting of the International Rubber Restriction Committee.

CHICAGO WHEAT

The market was inactive, with price movements narrow in the first hours of trading. Later, prices improved slightly on reports of a severe cold spell in the South-West, causing fears of damage to the crops. There was some covering by short interests, whilst Western traders were buying.

	Feb. 8	Feb. 9	Change
Dow Jones Industrial Averages	144.10	145.43	up 1.33

N. Y. Commodity Market

(By Courtesy of Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz and S. E. Levy & Company)

	High	Low	Prev. Close	To-day's Close	Change
New York Cotton — Mar.	8.44	8.38	8.41	8.39	.02 off
New York Rubber — Mar.	15.65	15.52	15.63	15.64	.01 up
New York Hides — Mar.	11.03	10.72	10.81b	11.03	.22 up
Chicago Wheat — May	68¼	68⅛	68⅛	68½	⅜ up
Chicago Corn — May	50½	49½	49½	49⅝	⅛ up
Winnipeg Wheat — May	62½	62⅜	62½	62⅜	⅛ up

NEW YORK COTTON

	Close	Opening	Closing	Change
March (1939)	8.41/42	8.43/44	8.39/39	.02 off
May („)	8.10/10	8.12/11	8.06/06	.04 off
July („)	7.83/83	7.83/83	7.80/80	.03 off
October („)	7.45/45	7.47/47	7.43/43	.03 up
December („)	7.45/45	7.48/49	7.49/49	.04 up
January (1940)	7.47 N	7.51/51	7.51 N	.04 up
Spot	9.01 N		8.99 N	.02 off

NEW YORK RUBBER

March (1940)	15.63/63	15.50b/65a	15.64/65	.01 up
May	15.53/55	15.46/42	15.55/55	.02 up
September	15.51/51	15.45/43	15.52/52	.01 up
December	15.56/56	—	15.53b/56a	.03 off

Sales for the day:— 1,950 tons

CHICAGO WHEAT

May	68⅛/68	68⅛/68⅛	68⅛/68⅜	⅜ up
July	68⅛/68	68⅛/68⅛	68⅛/68⅜	⅜ up
September	68⅞/68⅞	—	69⅛/69⅛	⅛ up

Tuesday's Sales:— 13,300,000 bushels

CHICAGO CORN

May	49⅛/49⅜	49⅛/49⅜	49⅜/49⅞	⅛ up
July	50⅜/50⅝	50⅜/50⅝	50⅞/50⅞	⅛ up
September	51/51	51⅛/51⅛	51⅛/51⅛	⅛ up

WINNIPEG WHEAT

May	62⅛/62⅛	62⅛/62⅜	62⅛/62⅛	⅛ up
July	63/63	63/63	63⅛/63⅛	⅛ up
October	63⅛/63⅛	—	63⅛/63⅜	⅛ up

NEW YORK HIDES: (New Contracts)

March	10.81b/84a	10.89/87	11.03/03	.22 up
June	11.21/21	11.27/23	11.40/40	.19 up
NY Silver, Official	42-3/4		42-3/4	
NY-London Cross Rate	4.68-5/8		4.68-5/8	

NEW YORK-STRAITS TIN

March	45.75 N	45.15b/50a	45.60 N	.15 off

BANKS

HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:
Sterling ..... £ 6,500,000
H.K. Currency Reserve $10,000,000
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Iloilo		

Current Accounts opened in **Local Currency** and **Fixed Deposits** received for one year or shorter periods in Local and other Currencies on terms which will be quoted on application.

Also up to date Safe Deposit Boxes in various sizes To Let.

Hong Kong, 7th October, 1938.

HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK

The Business of the above Bank is conducted by the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. Rules may be obtained on application.

For the HONG KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.
V. M. Grayburn,
Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 7th October, 1938.

BANK OF EAST ASIA, LIMITED

Authorised Capital $10,000,000.00
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HOW MALARIA CAME TO CEYLON

Infection Brought Over From British India

The accounts of the terrible epidemic that raged a short time ago in Ceylon are still fresh in the memory. Every day thousands of fresh cases and hundreds of deaths were reported, hospitals were overcrowded and a large proportion of the staffs were also down with this fatal malady, whilst exhausted doctors and nurses carried on bravely with stocks of quinine running perilously low.

But many of those who read the newspapers were unaware that this epidemic was not without precedent, and that for centuries past it had made a regular appearance, sowing death and destruction amongst the population.

When we study the geography of Ceylon we are struck by the fact that at the south-west of this marvellous and fertile island the population is dense, whereas towards the north it becomes more sparse. The northern and central part of Ceylon has not always been deserted.

MAGNIFICENT RUINS

We find the testimony of this in the vast and still magnificent ruins that are scattered about in the tropical forest. Towns, temples and irrigation works which, in the course of centuries have been abandoned and destroyed, and which during the last century, were the object of exploration, date back to before the Christian era and show that in former days there existed a remarkable civilisation and culture.

Immense granite temples have been built in a style related to that of the famous Burubudur of Java. Vast palaces are also to be seen, magnificently decorated with sculptures and painting, and one of the largest tanks ever constructed for the irrigation of rice fields, containing one hundred and thirty-three million cubic feet of water and covering an area of three hundred and thirty acres, is still in existence.

Rice growing was then the principal source of wealth, and at the same time, one of the causes of the decay of this wonderful civilisation, because it encourages the breeding of mosquitos in its swampy soil to a very large extent.

AN ENDEMIC DISEASE

During the 12th century, the peoples of British India raided the north of Ceylon, carrying malaria to the Cingalese, who had not yet been in contact with this infection, and who succumbed to it in great numbers. Very soon malaria became an endemic disease, which killed infants in the cradle or weakened and debilitated them for life.

The inhabitants abandoned the infected towns and went south to the more healthy regions. The towns, temples and irrigation works fell into ruins and the tropical forest swallowed them up in a few years. Their existence was forgotten and in course of time their history became legendary.

But malaria did not disappear with the towns; it emigrated to the south and took up its definite abode there, without, however, raging quite so violently as in the north. Nevertheless, it was a constant menace to the health and happiness of the people, as we saw from the recent epidemic. The only consolation we have is that quinine is a sovereign remedy for this disease.

The short quinine treatment as recommended by the Malaria Commission of the League of Nations, has greatly simplified the treatment of malaria and is moreover quite inexpensive. It consists of taking 15-18 grains of quinine daily for 5 to 7 days. After-treatment are not given, but relapses are treated in the same way. For prevention the Commission recommends a daily dose of 6 grains to be taken during the whole malarial season.

H.K. STOCK EXCHANGE

Feb. 9.

There were more enquiries in the market and a fair turnover was recorded at prevailing prices. Hotels are wanted at $6.80 after business having been done at $6.85 while. Providents have buyers at $6.65 and Wharves at $117.

Buyers

Hongkong Bank, $1395.
Canton Ins., $200.
Union Ins., $462½.
China Underwriters, 63 cts.
H.K. Fire Ins., $175.
Douglases, $65.
H.K. & K. Wharves, $16.
Providents (Old), $6.60.
Providents, (New), $6.35.
H. & S. Hotels, $6.70.
H.K. Lands, $36½.
Chinese Estates, $97.
H.K. Tramways, $17.35.
Yaumati Ferries (Old). $22½.
Macao Electrics., $17½.
Sandakan Lights, $10.
H.K. Ropes, $4.10.
Wing On (H.K.), $38½.
Entertainments, $7.
Marsmans (Lon.), 14/6.
Marsmans (H.K.), 2/6.

Sellers

Hongkong Bank, $1412½ (ex d.).
Canton Ins., $220.
H.K. Tramways, $17½.
H.K. Electrics, $58½.
Macao Electrics, $18½.
Sandakan Lights, $10½.

Sales

Hongkong Bank, $1390 (c. d.).
Union Ins., $465.
China Underwriters, 65 cts.
China Lights (Old), $3.90/8½.
China Lights (Rights), $3.
H.K. Electrics, $58½/58.

PHILIPPINE MINES

Antamoks, Ps. .46.
Atoks, Ps. .35½.
Baguio Gold, Ps. .26½.
Benguet Consolidated, Ps. 13.80.
Coco Grove, Ps. .47.
Consolidated Mines, Ps. .003.
Demonstrations, Ps. .20½.
I.X.L., Ps. .65.
Paracale Gumaus, Ps. .14½.
San Mauricio, Ps. 1.80.
Suyoc, Ps. .23.
United Paracale, Ps. .68.

HONGKONG SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

Volume of Business Transacted on Thursday, February 9

STOCK	No. of Shares	Price
H.K. Fire Ins.	50	$175.00
Electrics	200	58.00
"	50	58.25
Hotels	1,000	6.85
Providents (O.)	2.000	6.80
China Lights (O.)	1,831	8.75
" " (O.)	100	8.90
" " Rights	766	3.00
Marsmans H.K.	800	3/-
North Camarines	1,000 Ps.	0.68

CLOSING PRICES

Closing Philippine prices yesterday were:—

Antamoks	.46
Atoks	.355
Baguio Gold	.265
Benguet Consol.	13.80
Coco Grove	.47
Consol. Mines	.003
Demonstrations	.205
I. X. L.	.65
Paracale Gumaus	.145
San Mauricio	1.80
Suyoc Consol.	.23
United Paracales	.68

The market was quietly steady.

SINGAPORE STOCK QUOTATIONS

The following quotations of 12 leading Singapore stocks have been received by Messrs. Ellis and Edgar from Messrs. J. M. Sassoon & Co.

Singapore, Feb. 2.

RUBBER SHARES

	Middle Price
Amalgamated Malay Estate Limited	$1.45
Kempas Limited	1.70
Kuala Sidim Rubber Co., Ltd.	2.10
Pajam Limited	1.65
Sungei Bagan Rubber Estate Limited	1.22½
Tapah Rubber Estate Ltd.	1.65

TIN SHARES

Petaling Tin Ltd.	6.50
Sungei Luas Tin Dredging Ltd.	1.42½

INDUSTRIALS

Straits Trading Co., Ltd.	25.50
United Engineers Ltd. (Ord.)	8.20
Wearne Brothers Ltd.	13.25

GOLD

Raub Australian Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	4.25

The above quotations are in Straits dollars.

CHINA'S WEALTH IN MINERALS

Vast Mining Areas To Be Developed

CHUNGKING, Feb. 8 (Int'l)—A Mining Industry Study Bureau has been established here by the National Government to develop the various mines in the south-west and north-west. Foreigners are allowed to invest money in the enterprises.

More than half of the capital of any limited mining company must belong to Chinese citizens and also over half of the number of directors must also be Chinese citizens. The positions of chairmen of boards of directors and of managers must be filled by Chinese only. No transference of ownership or mortgages of mines to foreigners will be allowed.

The mining certificates given by the Ministry of Economics will be withdrawn in the event of the company being unable to open for business two years after registration or after one year's suspension.

STATE CONTROL

The bureau is divided into many departments, each headed by an expert. Officials of each department have their own assignments, mostly doing research work in connection with the mining industry. The Ministry is also co-operating with the provincial authorities in effecting state control over some important mines. It is reported that in her vast north-west and south-west areas, China is rich in all kinds of mines for the development of which the Government is also assisted by rich overseas Chinese merchants.

One important aspect of the question is that probably never before has China been so keen about making full use of her natural resources.

LONDON METALS EXCHANGE

London, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

	buyers £	sellers £
COPPER		
Standard, Cash	42-1/2	42-9/16
Standard, 3 months	42-13/16	42-7/8
Electrolytic	47-1/2	48-1/2
TIN		
Standard, Cash	213-3/4	214-1/4
Standard, 3 months	212-1/2	212-3/4
LEAD		
Foreign, Official Price	14-1/4	14-5/16
Foreign, Official 3 months	14-7/16	14-1/2
SPELTER		
Ordinary, Official Price	13-3/8	13-7/16
Ordinary, Official 3 months	13-11/16	13-3/4

Final Afternoon Transactions

Tin, Standard, Cash, £214-1/2 paid and sellers.

Tin, Standard, 3 months, £213 paid and buyers.

LONDON GOLD

London, Feb. 8 (Reuter).

Bar Gold. Fine per oz., 148/4.

Dollar Parity—Parity.

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All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 1st March., 1939, or they will not be recognised.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 14th Feb., 1939, at 10 A.M., by Messrs. Goddard and Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

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Hong Kong, 9th Feb., 1939. [114

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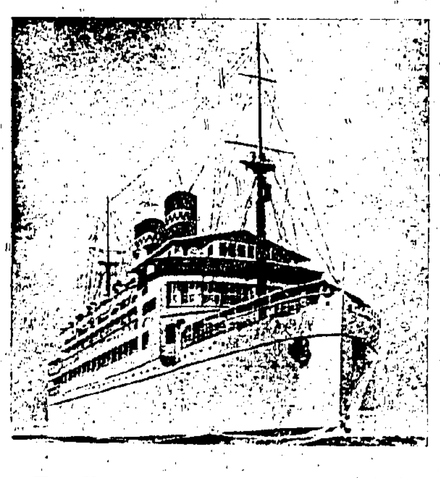

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All claims must be sent in to me on or before the 17th Feb., 1939, or they will not be recognized.

Damaged Packages will be examined by the Company's Surveyor, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas in the presence of the Consignees at 10.00 a.m. on Monday, the 13th Feb., 1939.

Consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when any dutiable goods are examined by the Company's Surveyors.

No Fire insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

R. OHL,
Agent.

Hong Kong, 7th Feb., 1939. [109

CONSIGNEES' NOTICES

PRINCE LINE.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM NEW YORK, LOS ANGELES & SAN FRANCISCO.

THE Motor Vessel "JAVANESE PRINCE" having arrived from the above Ports on 6th instant, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, Kowloon, and stored at Consignees risk and expense.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on Saturday, 11th inst., 1938, at 10 A.M.

All Claims must be presented within 15 Days of the Vessel's arrival here, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 11th inst., will be subject to Rent.

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Hong Kong, 6th Feb., 1939. [106

CHINA NAVIGATION

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HOIHOW & SINGAPORE	"MUINAM"	... On 11th Feb., 1 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) HOIHOW & HAIPHONG ...	"KIANGSU" "PROMINENT"	... On 11th Feb., 2 p.m. ... On 11th Feb., 5 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI		
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, TSINGTAO, W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN ...	"HUPEH"	... On 12th Feb., 11 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG ...	"KWANGTUNG"	... On 14th Feb., 4 p.m.
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) & HAIPHONG ...	"JEAN DUPUIS"	... On 14th Feb., 4 p.m.
SWATOW & S'HAI.	"SINKIANG"	... On 15th Feb., 10 a.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TAIYUAN"	... On 15th Feb., 5 p.m.
SWATOW & S'HAI.*	"SZECHUEN"	... On 16th Feb., 11 a.m.
SINGAPORE direct	"PAHANG"	... On 18th Feb., 6 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"SHANTUNG"	... On 19th Feb., 11 a.m.
HOIHOW, PAKHOI & HAIPHONG ...	"KAYING"	... On 21st Feb., 2 p.m.
AMOY & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	... On 21st Feb., 5 p.m.
SWATOW, FOOCHOW, TSINGTAO, W.H.W., CHEFOO & TIENTSIN ...	"YOCHOW"	On 22nd Feb., 11 a.m.
SWATOW, SAIGON & BANGKOK ...	"KALGAN"	... On 26th Feb., Noon
KWANGCHOWWAN (FORT BAYARD) & HAIPHONG ...	"JEAN DUPUIS"	... On 28th Feb., 4 p.m.

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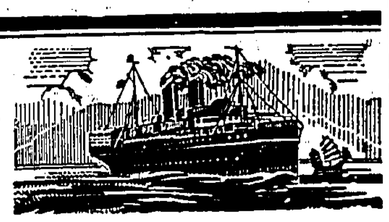

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WEATHER REPORT

HONGKONG ROYAL OBSERVATORY

10 a.m., Feb. 9.

Barometer (at sea level), 30.24 ins.
Temperature, 59 F.
Humidity, 69 per cent.
Wind Direction, E/S.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.
Temperature, maximum yesterday, 59 F.
Temperature, minimum last night, 55 F.
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th, to-day, Nil.
Total rainfall since January 1, 1.12 ins.
Against an average of 1.75 ins.
Sunset to-night, 6.16 p.m.
Sunrise to-morrow, 6.58 a.m.
4 p.m., Feb. 9.
Barometer (at sea level), 30.13.
Temperature, 62.
Humidity, 74.
Wind Direction, E.S.E.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 4.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From 10 to 16 Feb. 1939

		HIGH WATER.		LOW WATER.	
Days of Week	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Standard Time	Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Fri.	10	01 24	5 2	07 03	2 5
		13 59	5 8	20 11	3 0
Sat.	11	02 45	4 6	07 36	3 0
		14 55	5 9	21 57	3 0
Sun.	12	03 19	4 0	08 08	3 5
		15 57	6 0	23 47	2 7
Mon.	13	06 23	3 8	08 50	3 7
		17 07	6 1	—	—
Tues.	14	08 10	4 0	00 5[illegible]	2 4
		18 11	6 3	10 35	3 9
Wed.	15	08 50	4 2	01 38	2 0
		19 06	6 5	11 59	3 9
Thur.	16	09 21	4 4	02 11	1 7
		19 50	6 7	12 58	3 7

Maximum temperature, 62.
Minimum temperature, 55.
Rainfall, Nil.

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NORTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy
Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 10.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 11.
Prominent, B. & S., Feb. 11
Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14.
Taiyuan, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Helios, Thoresen's, Feb. 15.
Tsinan, B. & S., Feb. 21.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Feb. 27.

Chefoo
Taisaunhong, Jardine's Feb. 10.
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Hangsang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Foosbing, Jardine's, Feb. 19.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.

Chuanchow
Taiyuan, B. & S., Feb. 14.

Dairen
Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 12.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, Feb. 16
Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17.
Talthybius, B. & S., Feb. 18.
Sophie Rickmers, Jebsen's, Feb. 26.
Oldenburg, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Foochow
Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 10.
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.

Hinghwa
Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 10.

JAPAN
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.
Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Talthybius, B. & S., Feb. 13.
Memnon, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15.
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, Feb. 16
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 16.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17.
Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Shantung, B. & S., Feb. 19.
Foosbing, Jardine's, Feb. 19.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 20.
Tsinan, B. & S., Feb. 21.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.
Theseus, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 23.
Husimi Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Sophie Rickmers, Jebsen's, Feb. 26.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.
Aramis, Messageries, March 1.
Canton, P. & O., March, 3.
Nankin, E & A., March 4.
Java, E. A. Co., March 6.
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8.

Keelung
Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14.

Shanghai
Taisaunhong, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Tjibaduk, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 11.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.
Prominent, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 12.
Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Stentor, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Memnon, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Tajyuan, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15.
Szechuen, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, Feb. 16
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 16.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 17.
Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Shantung, B. & S., Feb. 19.
Foosbing, Jardine's, Feb. 19.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 20.
Tsinan, B. & S., Feb. 21.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.
Theseus, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 23.
Husimi Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Sophie Rickmers, Jebsen's, Feb. 26.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.
Aramis, Messageries, March 1.
Canton, P. & O., March, 3.
Nankin, E & A., March 4.
Java, E. A. Co., March 6.
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8.

Swatow
Seistan, Douglas, Feb. 10.
Taisaunhong, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Sagres, Douglas, Feb. 13.
Haiching, Douglas, Feb. 14.
Sinkiang, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Helios, Thoresen's, Feb. 15.
Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 15.
Szechuen, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Shantung, B. & S., Feb. 19.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.
Kalgan, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Hiram, Thoresen's, Feb. 26.
Hai Lee, Thoresen's, Feb. 27.

Takao
Canton Maru, O. S. K., Feb. 14.

Taku
Burgenland, Jebsen's, Feb. 16
Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 12.
Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17.
Sophie Rickmers, Jebsen's, Feb. 26.
Oldenburg, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Tientsin
Taisaunhong, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Wingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Haidah, Jebsen's, Feb. 17.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Hangsang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Foosbing, Jardine's, Feb. 19.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Daviken, Jebsen's, Feb. 23.

Tsingtau
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Oldenburg, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Wei-Hai-Wei
Hupeh, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Yochow, B. & S., Feb. 22.

SHIPPING

EASTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA

Balboa
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Baltimore
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 23.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.

Boston and New York
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 23.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Cristobal
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 23.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Honolulu
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 10.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.
Pres. Taft, A. P. S., Feb. 25.
Tatuta Maru, N. Y. K., March 1.

Los Angeles
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 23.
Pres. Taft, A. P. S., Feb. 25.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.
Tatuta Maru, N. Y. K., March 1.

Panama
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 23.
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

Philadelphia
Gertrude Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 10.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 17.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24
Grete Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.

San Francisco
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 11.
Stentor, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Pres. Taft, A. P. S., Feb. 25.
Tatuta Maru, N. Y. K., March 1.

Seattle
Talthybius, B. & S., Feb. 13.

Vancouver, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., Feb. 13.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8.

Victoria, B.C.
Talthybius, B. & S., Feb. 13.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., Feb. 21.
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., March 8.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA

Australian Ports, East and West
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Tanda, E. & A., March 4.

Bali
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line Feb. 28.

Bangkok
Helios, Thoresen's, Feb. 15.
Kalgan, B. & S., Feb. 26.
Hiram, Thoresen's, Feb. 26.

Batavia
Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 21.

Belawan-Deli
Cremer, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 11.
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Borneo Ports
Mausang, Jardine's Feb. 11.

Brisbane
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Tanda, E. & A., March 4.

Cairns
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.

Cebu
Hulda Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 25.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 28.

Cochin
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.

Davao
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 25

Haipnong
Canton, C. A. N., Feb. 10.
Yusang, Jardine's Feb. 11.
Kiangsu, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Laos, Messageries, Feb. 12.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Chaksang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Taisang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Woolgar, Jebsen's, Feb. 19.
Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 21.

Hobart
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.

Hoihow
Kiangsu, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Muinam, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Woolgar, Jebsen's, Feb. 19.
Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 21.

Java
Tjisaroea, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 21.

Kwangchowwan
Kiangsu, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Jean Dupuis, B. & S., Feb. 14.

Madang
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb 11.

Makassar
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line Feb. 28.

Manila
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., Feb. 11.
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Feb. 11.
Hulda Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Pres. Taft, A. P. L., Feb. 19.
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 25.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
C/Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 25.
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 28.
MarchenMaersk, Jebsen's, March 3.
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.
Pres. Cleveland, A. P. L., March 4.
Emp. of Japan, C. P. S., March 10.

Melbourne
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.

Pakhoi
Kaying, B. & S., Feb. 21.

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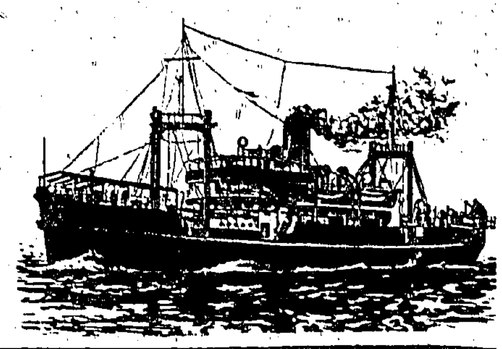
"Wosang" 22nd Feb., Noon
"Fooshing" 24th Feb. 7 a.m.
"Yusang" 26th Feb., Noon
"Kwaisang" 1st Mar. 7 a.m.
"Yatshing" 3rd Mar., 7 a.m.
CHEFOO & TIENTSIN
Hangsang" 22nd Feb., 7 a.m.
To SANDAKAN
"Mausang" 11th Feb., 10 a.m.
To HAIPHONG
"Yusang" 11th Feb., 4 p.m.
"Taisang" 18th Jan., 5 p.m.
"Mingsang" 22nd Feb., 3 p.m.

To SINGAPORE, PENANG and CALCUTTA
"Suisang" 23rd Feb., 2 p.m.
"Kutsang" 10th Mar., 2 p.m.
To KOBE and OSAKA
"Kutsang" 21st Feb. 9 a.m.
"Kumsang" 7th Mar., 9 a.m.



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Rabaul
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.

Saigon
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.
Lycaon, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Feb. 11.
Laos, Messageries, Feb. 12.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Kalgan, B. & S., Feb. 26.

Salamaua
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.

Sandakan
Mausang, Jardine's Feb. 11.

Semarang
Tjisadree, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 21.

Soerabaia
Tjisadane, J. C. J. Line Feb. 22.

Sydney
Neptuna, Gibb's, Feb. 11.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.

Thursday Island
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Tanda, E. & A. March 4.

Townsville
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 14.

WESTWARD

FROM HONGKONG TO EUROPE AFRICA, ETC.

Aden
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Alexandria
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.

Algiers
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.

Amsterdam
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Antwerp
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Boston and New York
Javanese Prince, Furness, Feb. 11.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 25.

Bombay
Tango, Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 12.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Bremen
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Bromborough
Lycaon, B. & S., Feb. 11.

Calcutta
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 12.
Lima Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.
Santhia, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 25.

Casablanca
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Colombo
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Tango, Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 12.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 25.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Copenhagen
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.

Genoa
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.

Gibraltar
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.

Glasgow
City of Florence, Bank Line, Feb. 14.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.

Gothenburg
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.

Halifax
Javanese Prince, Furness, Feb. 11.
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 25

Hamburg
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
City of Florence, Bank Line, Feb. 14.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Havre
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Lycaon, B. & S., Feb. 11.
City of Florence, Bank Line, Feb. 14.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Hull
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Karachi
Tango, Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 12.

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London
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
City of Florence, Bank Line, Feb. 14.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Liverpool
Lycaon, B. & S., Feb. 11.

Malta
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.

Marseilles
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Naples
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.

Oslo
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.

Penang
Cremer, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 10
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 12.
Lima Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 19.
Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
Santhia, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 25.

Port Said
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 25
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Port Soudan
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.

Port Swettenham
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 12.
Santhia, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 25.

Rangoon
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 12.
Lima Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 19.
Santhia, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 25.

Rotterdam
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Scandinavian Ports
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.

Singapore
Cremer, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 11.
Muinam, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Lycaon, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Tango, Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 12.
Tilawa, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 12.
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
City of Florence, Bank Line, Feb. 14.
Lima Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 16.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Pahang, B. & S., Feb. 18.
Ranchi, P. & O., Feb. 18.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, Feb. 19.
Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 22.
Deucalion, B. & S., Feb. 22.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Yasukuni Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 24.
Soudan, P. & O., Feb. 25.
Santhia, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 25.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 25.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

Southampton
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.

Suez
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 17.
Oder, Melchers, March 4.

VESSELS DUE

Aramis, Messageries, March 1.
Asama Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 15.
Athos II, Messageries, Feb. 16.
Atuta Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 17.
Behar, P. & O., Feb. 10.
Burgenland, Jebsen's, Feb. 16
Canton, Gilman's, Feb. 14.
Chaksang, Jardine's, Feb. 14.
C. Biancamano, L. Triestino, Feb. 20.
Conte Rosso, L. Triestino, March 3.
Crown City, Thoresen's, Feb. 16.
Cyclops, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Emp. of Japan, C. P. S., March 10.
Emp. of Russia, C. P. S., Feb. 10.
Fooshing, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Fulda, Melchers, Feb. 12.
Glengarry, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Greto Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 26.
Gneisenau, Melchers, Feb. 11.
Hakone Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Hangsang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Feb. 12.
Hulda Maersk, Jebsen's, Feb. 13.
Husimi Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Java, E. A. Co., March 6.
Kamo Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 25.
Katori Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 11.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Laos, Messageries, Feb. 11.
Leverkusen, Jebsen's, Feb. 14.
Lima Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 15.
Memnon, B. & S., Feb. 13.
Mingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 18.
Noto Maru, N. Y. K. Feb. 24.
Oder, Melchers, Feb. 17.
Oldenburg, Jebsen's, Feb. 27.
Pres. Cleveland, A. P. L., March. 4.
Pres. Coolidge, A. P. L., Feb. 10.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries, Feb. 15.
Pres. Polk, A. P. L., Feb. 16.
Pres. Taft, A. P. L., Feb. 18.
Rawalpindi, P. & O., Feb. 16.
Ruys, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 22.
Scharnhorst, Melchers, Feb. 22.
Siam, E. A. Co., Feb. 13.
Sophie Rickmers, Jebsen's, Feb. 24.
Stentor, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Suisang, Jardine's, Feb. 19.
Taisang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Taisaunhong, Jardine's, Feb. 13.
Tai Yin, Dodwell's, Feb. 16.
Talma, B. I. (Apcar), Feb. 14.
Tango, Maru, N. Y. K., Feb. 12.
Tarn, Thoresen's, Feb. 23.
Theseus, B. & S., Feb. 23.
Tingsang, Jardine's, Feb. 15.
Tjibadak, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 18.
Tjikembang, J. C. J. Line, Feb. 12
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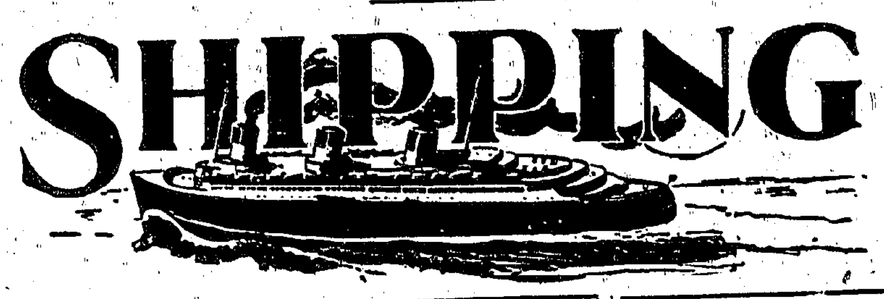

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Hakone Maru, Japanese, 6,306 registered tons, Capt. T. Fujita, from London and Straits, p.m., at buoy No. A11.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

T'jibadak, Dutch, 4,801 registered tons, from Java and Muntok, a.m., at buoy No. A5.—J. C. J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

Laos, French, 734 registered tons, Capt. P. B. Morganti, from Saigon, a.m., at buoy No. B?.—M. M.—(Tel. 26651).

Pres. Coolidge, American, 12,835 reg. tons, Capt. H. Nelson, from Manila, 1 p.m., at Kowloon Wharf.—A. P. L. (Tel. 28171).

Wing Sang, British, 1,953 registered tons, Capt. S. J. Barden, from Haiphong, a.m., at buoy No. B?.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

DUE TO-MORROW

Gneisenau, German, 10,712 registered tons, Capt. R. Preiss, from Japan and S'hai, 7 a.m., at Kowloon Wharf.—Melchers & Co. (Tel. 27772).

Katori Maru, Japanese, from Japan and S'hai, a.m., at buoy No. A?.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Cremer, Dutch, 2,770 registered tons, Captain Ahlers, from Amoy, a.m., at buoy No. A10.—J. C. J. Line.—(Tel. 28015).

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ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Mount Park, British, 2,723 registered tons, Capt. W. M. Walker, from Kobe, at Kowloon Dock.—Dodwell & Co. (Tel. 28021).

Eskbank, British, 2,039 registered tons, Capt. W. W. Elliott, from Shanghai, at buoy No. A8.—Bank Line. (Tel. 27791).

Prominent, Norwegian, 1,377 registered tons, Capt. K. Gjertsen, from Shanghai and Swatow, at buoy No. B14.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Yu Sang, British, 2,039 registered tons, Captain M. Costello, from S'hai and Swatow, at West Point Wharf.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Zuiderkerk, Dutch, 5,265 registered tons, Capt. De d Boer, from Japan and Shanghai, at buoy No. A5.—J. C. J. Line. (Tel. 28015).

SAILING TO-DAY

Seistan, British, 1,571 registered tons, Captain W. B. Patey, from Douglas Wharf, for Swatow, Amoy, Hinghua and Foochow, 4 p.m.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Gertrude Maersk, Danish, 3,155 reg. tons, Captain Larssen, from buoy No. A13, for S'hai, Japan and U.S.A., noon.—Jebsen & Co. (Tel. 31205).

Shun Chih, British, 1,173 registered tons, Captain W. Lee, from Saigon, a.m., at buoy No. B?—Wo Fat Sing. (Tel. 20005).

Lycaon, British, 4,645 registered tons, Captain A. Shaw, from buoy No. A9, for Saigon, Havre, Liverpool and Bromborough, 11 a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Kiangsu, British, 1,555 registered tons, Captain R. Allinson, from buoy No. B15, for K. C. Wan, Holnow and Haiphong, 2 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Canton, French, 976 registered tons, Captain G. Charlot, from buoy No. B10, for Haiphong, 4 p.m.—M.M. (Tel. 26651).

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Mau Sang, British, 2,063 registered tons, Capt. P. Jowitt, from buoy No. B22, for Sandakan, 10 a.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Kotari Maru, Japanese, from buoy No. A?, for Straits, London, Marseilles, Naples via Suez, p.m.—N.Y.K. (Tel. 30291).

Muinam, Danish, 1,739 registered tons, Capt. V. L. Ralster, from buoy No. B3, for Hothow and Singapore, 1 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

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Neptuna, British, 3,607 registered tons, Capt. R. Duddell, from Kowloon Wharf, for Saigon, Madang, Salamaua, Rabaul, Sydney and Melbourne, midnight.—Gibb Livingston & Co. (Tel. 28031).

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CANTON	16,000	3rd Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	4th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
SHIRALA	8,000	16th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
CORFU	14,500	17th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
SOMALI	7,000	18th Mar.	do
CHITRAL	15,500	3th Mar.	Shanghai & Japan
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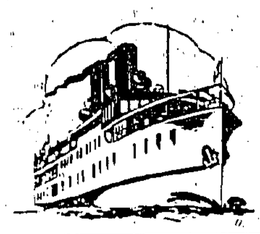

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Local Soccer Fixtures

SATURDAY

Senior Shield (2nd Round Second Replay)
Kowloon v. South China "A" (4 p.m.).
Referee:—Kossick.
Linesmen:—Phillips and Farr.

Junior Shield Semi-Final
Engineers v. Middlesex (Kowloon, 3.45 p.m.).
Referee:—Ip.
Linesmen:—Demee and Stone.

First Division
Royal Scots v. Club (Caroline Hill, 4.15 p.m.).
Referee:—Molyneux.
Linesmen:—Sze Powai and Dove.

Second Division
5th A.A. v. St. Joseph's (St. Joseph's, 4.15 p.m.).
Referee:—Silva.
Kowloon v. Kwong Wah (Kowloon, 2.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Adlam.

Third Division "A"
R.A.S.C. v. Kit Che (Military, 4.15 p.m.).
Referee:—Thomas.
Stanley v. Electric (Military, 2.45 p.m.).
Referee:—Barretto.
30th R.A. v. 5th R.A. ((St. Joseph's, 2.45 p.m.).
Referee:—Edwards.

Third Division Championship Play-off 2nd Round
Royal Scots v. Royal Air Force (Sookunpoo, 2.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Clarke.

SUNDAY

Senior Shield Semi-Final
St. Joseph's v. Police (Causeway Bay, 3.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Goss.
Linesmen:—McIlgrew and Havelaar.

Junior Shield Semi-Final
P.W.D. v. Royal Scots (Club, 3.30 p.m.).
Referee:—Glover.
Linesmen:—Hartley and Somerville.

The ground for the match between Kowloon and South China "A" has not been fixed.

TENNIS MATCH AT K.C.C.

Shanghai Team In Draw

The tennis match at the Kowloon Cricket Club yesterday between the K.C.C. team and the visiting Shanghai Chinese Students' tennis team was drawn, the doubles encounter between E. C. Fincher and A. Crawford (K.C.C.) and H.K. F. Li and Poker Tong being abandoned when poor light prevented further play when the Shanghai students led 7-5, 9-9.

The results of the other matches were as follows:—

E. C. Fincher (K.C.C.) beat K.C. Tsai, 6-2, 8-6.

S. A. Gray and G. C. Burnett (K.C.C.) beat T. H. Wei and P. C. Hsu, 5-7, 6-3, 7-5.

H.K. F. Li (Shanghai) beat A. E. P. Guest, 6-3, 6-3.

Poker Tong (Shanghai) beat A. Crawford, 8-6, 6-4.

HOCKEY TEAM V. MACAO

The hockey team to represent Hongkong against Macao at Macao on February 19 was selected on Wednesday night. It is:—

Lieut. Goodwin (Navy); V. Bond (Club), J. Gonsalves (Recreio); Lieut. Hook (Army), W. A. Reed (Club), M. Malik (Indians); S. Fowler (Central British), Pyara Singh (Indians), Pritham Nath (Army), Nerain Singh (Army), and Partaub Singh (Army).

Reserves.—Lieut.-Cdr. Kennedy (Navy), Lieut. Woods (Navy), R. Marques (Recreio), and N. Whitley (Club).

The combination will be seen in action against the united tournament team on the Club ground at 10.15 a.m. on Sunday.

KOWLOON CHESS CLUB WIN

An inter-Club chess match was played at the Peninsula Hotel yesterday evening, the Kowloon Chess Club emerging victorious over the Victoria Chess Club by six points to one.

The following were the results:

Victoria C.C.:—Sir Henry Pollock 0, E. Zimmern 0, Dr. M. O. Pfister 1, G. Birch 0, B. C. Field 0, and E. Bonhoff 0.

Kowloon Chess Club:—C. M. Sequeira 1, D. E. de Carvalho 1, A. D. Sequeira 0, B. S. Litvin 1, B. Soltau 1, and W. M. Bishop 1.

League Tables As They Stand To-day

Below will be found the League tables, brought up to date, of the Home football competitions. Latest standings are as follows:—

FIRST DIVISION

TEAMS	HOME P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	AWAY W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	Ttl. Pts.
Everton	27	12	1	1	40	12	25	6	1	6	15	16	13	38
Derby	28	10	2	1	32	13	22	6	4	5	20	21	16	38
Wolves	27	7	5	1	28	8	19	6	3	5	20	13	15	34
Charlton	26	9	2	2	25	16	20	4	3	6	16	20	11	31
Stoke	28	8	4	1	33	17	20	4	3	7	18	32	11	31
Liverpool	28	9	3	2	27	15	21	2	5	7	19	29	9	30
Middlesbro'	28	8	5	2	41	18	21	3	2	8	18	30	8	29
Bolton	27	6	3	4	28	18	15	4	6	4	20	21	14	29
Arsenal	27	8	3	3	21	9	19	2	6	5	11	15	10	29
Leeds U.	27	6	4	3	27	20	16	4	3	7	16	27	11	27
Grimsby	27	7	3	3	23	16	17	3	4	7	16	30	10	27
Manchester U.	27	5	5	4	22	15	15	3	5	5	16	21	11	26
Sunderland	27	3	5	5	16	19	11	6	3	5	18	21	15	26
Aston Villa	26	6	1	6	23	18	13	4	4	5	19	21	12	25
Preston N.E.	28	7	5	1	25	12	19	2	2	9	13	28	6	25
Huddersfield	28	8	2	5	27	14	18	1	3	9	11	28	5	23
Blackpool	27	5	6	3	24	18	16	2	3	8	9	28	7	23
Leicester	27	6	5	2	25	15	17	1	3	10	8	34	5	22
Chelsea	26	7	3	3	31	17	17	1	2	10	15	38	4	21
Portsmouth	26	6	6	2	16	10	18	-	3	9	8	34	3	21
Brentford	25	6	1	5	18	19	13	1	5	7	16	33	7	20
Birmingham	27	7	1	5	27	19	15	-	3	11	17	39	3	18

SECOND DIVISION

TEAMS	HOME P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	AWAY W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	Ttl. Pts.
Blackburn	29	11	1	3	45	20	23	6	2	6	26	24	14	37
Sheffield U.	28	5	7	2	22	11	17	8	4	2	25	18	20	37
Coventry	26	9	2	1	26	7	20	6	2	6	21	21	14	34
Wednesday	26	7	3	3	33	16	17	6	3	4	32	29	15	32
West Brom'	27	11	-	2	39	18	22	3	4	7	28	34	10	32
Fulham	26	9	3	1	24	10	21	4	3	6	20	22	11	32
Newcastle	27	10	2	2	35	13	22	3	3	7	9	20	9	31
Luton	27	2	3	3	27	17	19	5	1	7	25	23	11	30
Tottenham	26	8	6	-	31	16	22	3	2	7	13	22	8	30
Burnley	29	10	2	2	24	15	22	1	6	8	14	26	8	30
Manchester C.	26	9	1	4	41	26	18	4	3	6	27	28	11	29
Chesterfield	26	9	1	2	32	14	19	2	5	7	9	24	9	28
West Ham	26	7	4	3	27	14	18	3	3	6	20	22	9	27
Bury	28	6	4	5	35	27	16	2	5	6	7	20	9	25
Plymouth	27	6	4	4	16	10	16	4	1	8	18	29	9	25
Bradford	28	6	5	3	27	24	17	2	4	8	21	36	8	25
Millwall	26	6	3	2	23	12	15	2	5	8	18	26	9	24
Southampton	26	5	4	4	22	20	14	2	2	9	12	31	6	20
Swansea	26	3	5	5	19	21	11	1	5	7	9	31	7	18
Notts F.	26	3	4	5	20	23	10	2	3	9	13	39	7	17
Norwich	26	7	1	5	26	19	15	-	-	13	3	43	-	15
Tranmere	28	4	3	8	21	30	11	-	1	12	11	43	1	12

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

TEAMS	HOME P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	AWAY W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	Ttl. Pts.
Barnsley	28	11	2	-	39	8	24	9	2	4	25	17	20	44
Southport	25	10	3	1	38	11	23	4	4	3	19	18	12	35
Doncaster	26	10	3	2	33	13	23	3	6	2	16	17	12	35
Crewe	27	10	-	3	44	16	20	6	1	7	23	26	13	33
Bradford C.	27	11	-	3	40	12	22	4	3	6	19	24	11	33
Oldham	28	9	-	4	29	16	18	6	2	7	23	28	14	32
Hull	26	10	2	2	45	16	22	3	3	6	18	31	9	31
Stockport	26	8	4	-	35	13	20	3	3	8	22	33	9	29
Chester	24	6	3	2	33	20	15	5	2	6	24	27	12	27
Rotherham	28	8	3	4	36	16	19	3	2	8	11	31	8	27
Barrow	28	7	3	4	31	19	17	4	1	9	13	30	9	26
Wrexham	28	10	1	4	32	25	21	1	3	9	11	34	5	26
Rochdale	28	7	3	5	38	20	17	3	2	8	24	34	8	25
Halifax	26	6	5	1	18	12	17	3	2	9	8	19	8	25
N. Brighton	27	6	2	4	26	16	14	4	3	8	15	31	11	25
Lincoln	27	6	5	3	30	23	17	2	3	8	17	36	7	24
Darlington	26	8	2	3	30	19	18	1	3	9	17	45	5	23
Gateshead	26	6	3	4	25	18	15	1	4	8	18	32	6	21
Carlisle	26	5	4	4	21	17	14	3	1	9	20	49	7	21
York	26	5	4	5	23	23	14	2	2	8	15	35	6	20
Hartlepools	27	5	2	6	22	23	12	2	2	10	15	40	6	18
Accrington	27	1	3	9	13	29	5	1	1	12	12	41	3	8

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

TEAMS	HOME P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	AWAY W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	Ttl. Pts.
Newport	28	11	2	1	26	10	24	7	2	5	17	18	16	40
Crystal Palace	25	10	2	1	30	11	22	3	4	5	15	24	10	32
Reading	28	7	5	2	30	16	19	3	6	5	15	20	12	31
Brighton	26	9	1	2	28	10	19	4	3	7	17	25	11	30
Aldershot	26	9	3	1	18	6	21	2	5	6	14	28	9	30
Northampton	26	11	2	1	34	12	24	2	1	9	8	23	5	29
Swindon	28	9	4	1	35	14	22	2	2	8	14	29	6	28
Notts C.	25	9	3	2	23	11	21	2	2	7	11	19	6	27
Cardiff	26	7	1	5	21	17	15	3	7	4	14	21	13	27
Queen's Park R.	25	6	3	2	32	9	15	3	5	6	19	26	11	26
Bristol C.	27	8	2	2	26	14	18	2	4	9	32	31	8	26
Watford	27	8	4	1	30	12	20	2	2	10	11	26	6	26
Southend	23	6	4	1	20	10	16	2	3	7	20	31	7	23
Exeter	26	5	6	2	28	23	16	2	3	8	14	35	7	23
Mansfield	26	6	4	3	21	15	16	2	3	8	10	33	7	23
Bristol R.	26	5	6	4	21	15	16	2	2	7	13	16	6	22
Port Vale	26	6	3	4	24	15	15	2	2	8	8	20	6	21
Ipswich	24	5	2	3	18	13	12	2	5	7	12	21	9	21
Bournemouth	24	5	4	2	18	12	14	2	3	8	10	21	7	21
Clapton O.	25	6	6	1	22	8	18	1	1	10	10	28	3	21
Torquay	24	4	2	8	16	23	10	4	3	13	15	11	11	21
Walsall	26	4	3	6	16	14	11	1	3	9	10	27	5	16

SCOTTISH LEAGUE—FIRST DIVISION

TEAMS	HOME P.	W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	AWAY W.	D.	L.	Goals F.	A.	Pts.	Ttl. Pts.
Rangers	28	13	1	-	50	14	27	7	4	3	44	31	18	45
Hearts	28	9	2	4	47	25	20	7	2	4	28	22	16	36
Aberdeen	28	12	1	2	52	16	25	3	4	6	21	31	10	35
Celtic	27	8	2	4	52	26	18	5	5	3	25	15	15	33
Queen O'South	28	9	4	2	30	15	22	4	2	7	19	32	10	32
Hamilton	28	10	1	3	29	16	21	4	3	7	23	35	11	32
Falkirk	28	8	2	4	32	20	18	5	3	6	24	31	13	31
Kilmarnock	26	7	5	2	31	22	19	5	2	5	21	30	12	31
Hibernian	28	7	4	3	36	16	18	5	-	3	23	37	10	28
Clyde	27	8	1	4	33	24	17	5	1	8	25	30	11	28
St. Johnstone	29	8	2	4	37	28	18	4	2	9	26	44	10	28
Motherwell	27	8	1	4	40	29	17	3	4	7	20	30	10	27
Partick	27	8	1	4	27	21	17	4	2	8	21	38	10	27
Third Lanark	27	5	5	3	34	24	15	4	2	8	29	46	10	25
Ayr U.	27	6	4	3	30	12	16	2	2	10	20	40	6	22
St. Mirren	28	6	3	4	23	29	15	2	3	10	19	37	7	22
Queen's Park	27	5	4	5	23	26	14	3	-	10	17	33	6	20
Arbroath	29	5	3	5	23	27	13	1	4	11	14	38	6	19
Raith R.	28	3	2	9	27	32	8	4	1	10	25	46	8	16
Albion	27	5	-	9	34	39	10	1	3	9	17	34	5	15

FOREIGN MAILS

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From	Per	Due
Amoy	Cremer	10th Feb.
Canada, U.S.A., Japan and Shanghai (Vancouver B. C. date, 21st January.	Emp. of Russia	10th Feb.
Straits and Europe Via Negapatam. (Papers etc.) London date 12th January.	Hakone Maru	10th Feb.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	10th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Behar	10th Feb.
Java	Tjibadak	10th Feb.
Swatow	Ninghai	10th Feb.
Haiphong, Pakhoi and Hollow.	Sinkiang	11th Feb.
Saigon	Laos	11th Feb.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 4th February.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**11th Feb.**
Japan and Shanghai	Gneisenau	11th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Katori Maru	11th Feb.
Japan	Tango Maru	12th Feb.
Manila	Stentor	12th Feb.
Air Mail by "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 3rd February.	**Pan American Airways plane**	**12th Feb.**
Straits	Anhui	13th Feb.
Java and Manila	Tjisadane	13th Feb.
Shanghai	Glengarry	14th Feb.
Calcutta and Straits	Talma	14th Feb.
Straits, Manila and London Parcels—(London date, 5th Jan.).	Memnon	14th Feb.
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London dates, 8th February.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**15th Feb.**
Shanghai	Lima Maru	15th Feb.
Japan	Asama Maru	15th Feb.
U. S. A., Honolulu and Japan—(San Francisco date, 21st Jan.).	Pres. Polk	16th Feb.
Straits and Europe via Suez (Papers etc.) London date, 19th January and London Parcels—(London date, 12th January).	Rawalpindi	16th Feb.
Calcutta and Straits	Kutsang	17th Feb.
Straits	Burdwan	17th Feb.
Japan and Shanghai	Ranchi	17th Feb.
Australia and Manila	Atuta Maru	17th Feb.
U.S.A., Honolulu Japan & Shanghai (San Francisco date, 27th Jan.).	Pres. Taft	18th Feb.

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For	Per	Date and Time
FRIDAY		**Fri. 10th.**
Saigon	Lycaon	9.30 AM
Haiphong	Canton	2.00 PM
		K.P.O.
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 5.30 PM
		G.P.O.
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 7.00 PM
Manila	Emp. of Russia	7.00 PM
Haiphong	Yusang	
SATURDAY		**Sat. 11th.**
Formosa, Shanghai and Japan	Hakone Maru	8.30 AM
Sandakan	Mausang	8.30 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 21st February.		**G.P.O. & K.P.O.**
Straits, Ceylon, India, East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles—due Marseilles, 12th March.	Katori Maru	Reg. 9.30 AM
Hoihow	Mausang	Ord. 10.00 AM
Fort Bayard and Haiphong	Kiangsu	**G.P.O. & K.P.O.**
Amoy	Prominent	Reg. 9.45 AM
Manila and Parcels only for Germany via Hamburg	Gneisenau	Ord. 10.30 AM
Papers only for Straits and (Parcels and Papers for Calcutta).	Tilawa	11.30 AM
Amoy	Tjibadak	Noon
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu U.S.A., Central and South America via San Francisco and (Papers only for Canada)—due San Francisco, 2nd March.	Pres. Coolidge	3.30 PM
		4.30 PM
		Parcels 4.00 PM
		Papers 5.00 PM
SUNDAY		5.00 PM
Amoy	Seistan	**G.P.O. & K.P.O.**
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Hupeh	Par. 3.00 PM
		Reg. 4.15 PM
		Ord. 5.00 PM
MONDAY		**Sun. 12th.**
		9.00 AM
		9.00 AM
Airmail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu, and U.S.A. by the "Pan-American Airways Direct Service" due San Francisco 20th February.	**Pan American Airways plane**	**Mon. 13th.**
Dairen	Talthybius	**K.P.O.**
		Reg 11th 5.00 PM
		Ord 12th Noon
		G.P.O.
		Reg. 11th 5.00 PM
		Ord. 13th 7.30 AM
		10.30 AM
		K.P.O.
		Par. 4.00 PM
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 5.30 PM
		G.P.O.
		Par. 4.00 PM
		Reg. 5.00 PM
Manila, Australia and New Zealand Via Thursday Island due Thursday Island, 25th February	Changte	Ord. 7.00 PM
		K.P.O.
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 5.30 PM
Air Mail for "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due London 20th February.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**G.P.O.**
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 7.00 PM
		K.P.O.
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 5.30 PM
Airmail for Malaya, Java and Australia by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—due Sydney 20th February.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**G.P.O.**
		Reg. 5.00 PM
		Ord. 7.00 PM

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